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FOND FAREWELL



PARISHIONERS OF St. James Catholic Church in Sewickley gathered to remember Pope John Paul II during Friday evening's Mass led by the Rev. David Poecking (below). Photos by Tim Edmonson

Priest offers Pope's message of faith

By Rachel Weaver

Staff writer

As Roman Catholics all over the world reflect on the life and loss of Pope John Paul II, a local priest is encouraging the faithful to focus on his legacy of unity and welfare.

St. James Catholic Church held a memorial Mass for the pontiff Friday led by the Rev. David Poecking, parochial vicar.

Poecking, who studied at the John Paul II Institute in Washington, D.C., believes most mourners are feeling a sense of awe, not grief, in relation to his death.

"Obviously, people knew he was

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REGION

July 4 parade could end as LCAA disbands

By Rachel Weaver

Staff writer

John Kaefer has some free time on his hands.

Normally in the spring, the Leetsdale resident would be making dozens of phone calls, sending mass e-mails and finalizing plans for an annual celebration.

But now, after 14 years in the borough, the Leetsdale Community Activities Association (LCAA) has disbanded, leaving the past president with nothing to plan.

Every year, more than 12,000 people attend the Fourth of July Festivities, planned by the LCAA, in Leetsdale Borough.

With no other willing volunteers and dwindling funds, Kaefer, Lynn Kohlmeier and Janet Daugherty, the remaining members, were forced to call it quits.

"It's frustrating," says Kaefer. "It's not something I wanted to let go. But at the same time, you can't continue without the help and support of people who want everything to continue."

Formed in 1991 by Diane Cukovich and incorporated as a not-for-profit organization in 1995, the LCAA was committed to sustaining the Fourth of July community celebration after the fire department relinquished the responsibility.

The celebration included a three-day carnival in Henle Park and a parade when veterans, law enforcement, children's groups and county, state and national dignitaries marched through the borough.

Each Fourth of July weekend was brought to a close with a Zambelli fireworks display at Quaker Valley High School.

Every year, the LCAA, which

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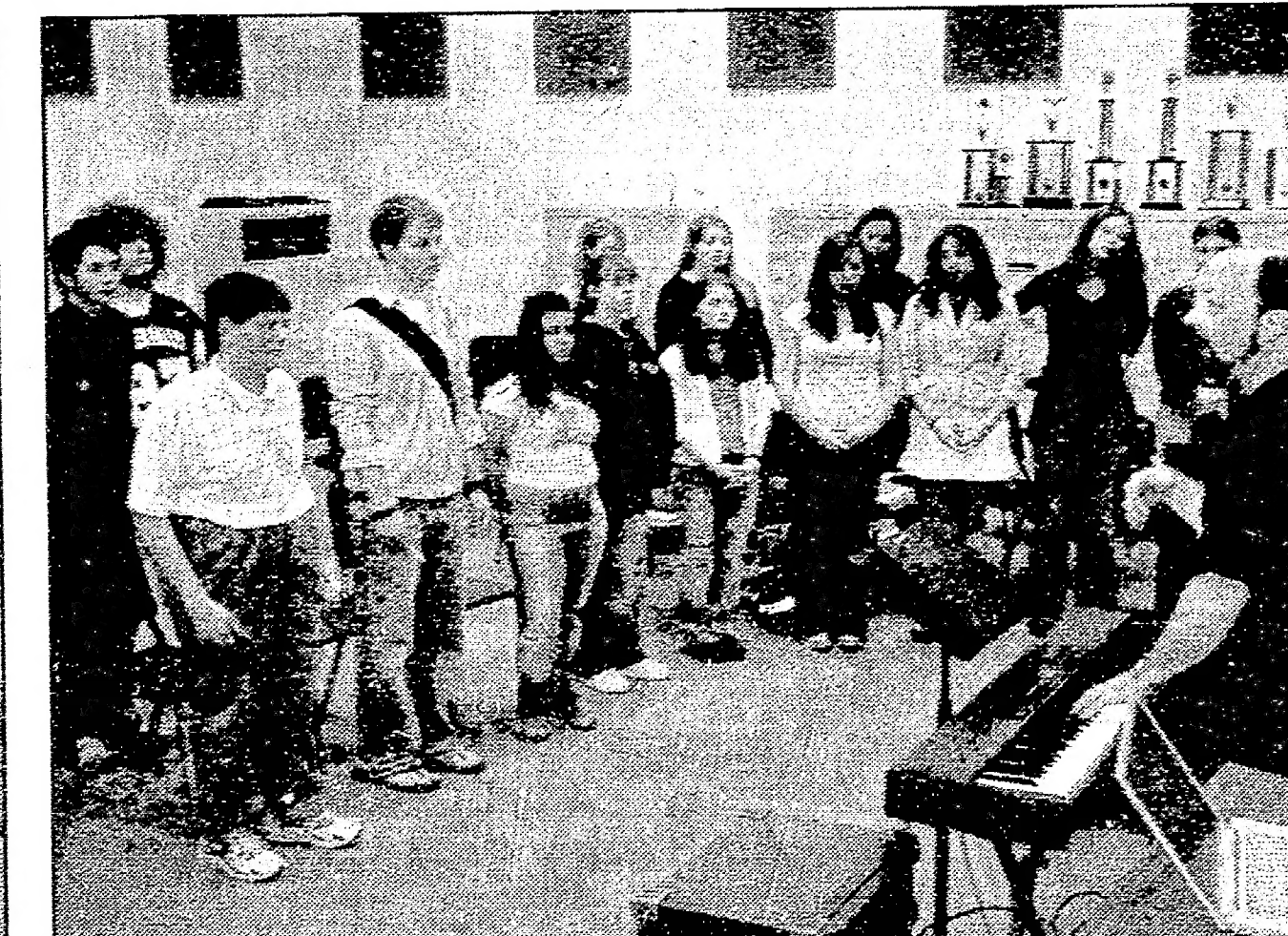
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NOTED



QV STUDENTS learn all aspects of music, whether playing an instrument in the band with director Sean Desguin (above)



... or singing chords in the chorus with teacher Matthew Boice
Photos by Rachel Weaver

Quaker Valley's music program in nation's top 100

By Rachel Weaver

Staff writer

The Quaker Valley School District music program has hit a high note.

This week, the American Music Conference named QV as one of the 100 best communities for music education in the country.

To be considered for the honor, area educators and parents completed a survey questioning the program's commitment to quality music education, measured across a variety of economic and curricular criteria.

This is the first year QV participated in the nationwide survey.

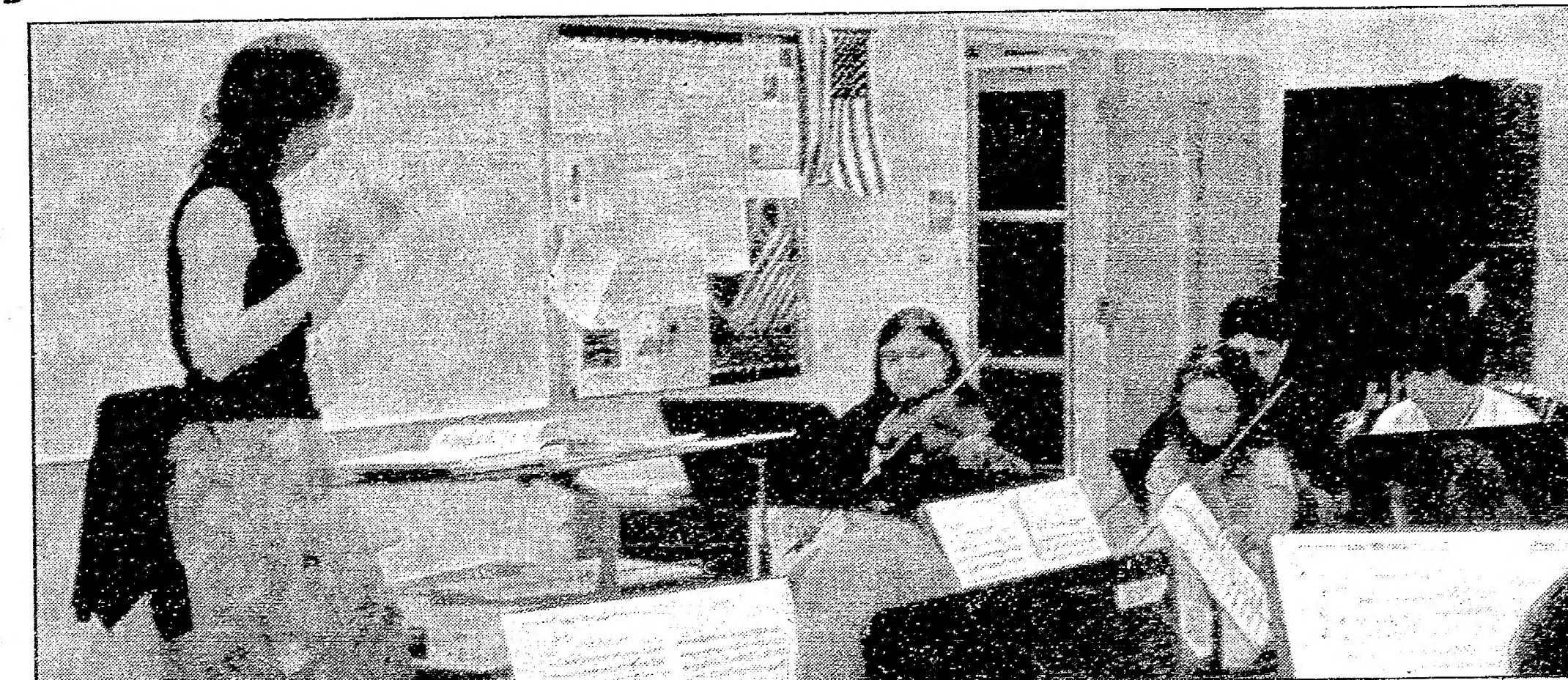
"Some faculty members were like, 'What? How'd we get that? But I think we sometimes forget how good we are and what a really good program we have,'" says Matthew Boice, QV music teacher and chorus director.

Sean Desguin, QV band director, attributes the program's success to strong parent and administrative support.

But he thinks the honor belongs to the stars of the program: the students.

"Every time (they earn recognition), they get more and more excited," he says.

This season, the band earned a No. 1 rank at the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Marching Band Association (PIMBA) Class A Championship. The award-winning performance included selections from the Cirque du Soleil show La Nouba.



ORCHESTRA INSTRUCTOR Corry Nye leads a group of young violinists through a new selection.

QV also has been recognized for its musical theater production, last year's "Pirates of Penzance." The district was named "Music Theatre International's Customer Showcase for April 2005."

The show, under the director of Lou Valenzi, garnered seven Gene Kelly Award nominations and two wins.

Corrie Nye, orchestra instructor, says music is so popular at QV that some kids participate in band, chorus and orchestra. Teachers coordinate to make sure the multi-tasking kids get proper education in all areas.

The QV chorus has 160 members

divided into four classes.

For Boice, QV's program gets its strength from the good relationships of the faculty members, many of whom either were or are performers.

Joining Boice, Burgh, Valenzi, Nye and Desguin are Todd Fox, QVMS music; and Tina Menitti and Amy Yaworsky, elementary music.

Their diverse experiences help with their hands-on teaching style.

Chris Burgh, who oversees the QV strings instrument program, now in its 10th year, plays in the pit for the high school musical alongside two sopho-

more students she taught as fourth graders.

While school music programs across the country were once the victims of district budget cuts, legislation such as No Child Left Behind highlights music as a core subject.

Programs are now recognized for the diverse education they provide beyond an understanding of musical notes.

"No other subject combines mathematics, physical education, history, culture and the humanities," says Desguin.

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Mourners comforted by Pope's words

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older. He was such a tremendous witness to Christ and faith that anyone attached to the Pope is feeling grief, but is also engaged with his faith. It's hard to separate love for the Pope and his faith."

Poecking compares John Paul II to Pope St. Gregory the Great, who lived in the late 7th century and was an acclaimed pastor, politician and theologian, saying he promoted unity and welfare in a "relatively challenging time."

John Paul II was named pope in the late 1970s, during what Poecking says was a time of "uncertainty, ambition, experimentation and division."

The priest believes the Pope gradually tried to address those challenging issues over his 27-year pontificate.

"He was aware of the world and what it means to be human. He had deep insights into world affairs. Now that we've seen his whole life, it's an opportunity to rethink and reintegrate his work."

To help people cope with the loss and celebrate his life during the memorial, Poecking focused on the pope's first and last teachings, which brought his message of faith full circle.

At age 19, the pope wrote a play entitled "Job," which addressed the meaning of sharing in Jesus' suffering.

In his annual Holy Thursday letter to priests, written days before his death, the pope reiterated this message, focusing on the Eucharist and the profound union with Christ it symbolizes.

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HERALD HONORS

Citizen of the Year Semple takes the centuries seriously

By Jon Paul Creese

Staff writer

"The only proper reward is the work itself."

That is Harton Singer Semple Jr.'s take on being named the Sewickley Herald's 2004 Citizen of the Year.

A modest man, Semple finds it surprising to be among those who've received the honor in the past.

"It's nice to be in that company," he said. "I'm extremely honored to be with the previous recipients."

"I was pleased and surprised," he said, upon reading the news in the Sewickley Herald.

Semple was born and raised in the town he works to preserve.

Now, an active member of several community organizations, Semple graduated from Sewickley Academy in 1960; St. George's School, Newport, R.I.; Yale University, where he earned a bachelor's degree and then Duquesne University, where he earned a master of arts in teaching.

He taught English at Montour High School for 33 years beginning in 1972, after a two-year stint in Vietnam.

"I did the government's business," he stated flatly. "I was lucky not to be killed."

And Sewickley residents are also fortunate because Semple has spent more than 15 years volunteering his services through organizations like the Old Sewickley Post Office, Sewickley Valley Historical Society, Sewickley Cemetery, Allegheny Cemetery and Little Sewickley Creek Watershed Association.

He acts as treasurer for Citizens for Soldiers, a group dedicated to replacing the Civil War Monument in the Sewickley Cemetery.



HARTON SEMPLE presented some of his collection of Civil War-vintage surgical instruments on a Sunday afternoon during Sewickley's Sesquicentennial Celebration in 2003.

"It's like you're a dud until you hit 45 or 50, then you realize your civic responsibilities," he said, though it's hard to imagine Semple was ever one to take his hometown for granted.

In any case, he certainly will have made up for lost efforts.

Semple's ingenuity has been integral for the Fame project, which is scheduled to be completed by July 12.

From that point, he will continue working toward enhancing the entire site with a veteran's plaza, complete with four cannons that were removed

in 1943.

"It needs to be done," he said simply. "I don't feel any ancestral ties like some of the forebearers. It was an important period and it needs to be remembered."

Semple remembers the Civil War often, and not just when he is devoting his time to help preserve Sewickley natives' roles in it.

He portrays a Union contract surgeon during Civil War reenactments several times a year.

"It's like being an actor," he said.

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have been; and to reconsider our investment in preserving and maintaining the monuments and memorials that give us a hold on who we are as a people, as a nation, and as a world."

"Citizens for Soldiers is working hard to keep Fame prominent, proud and as a focus for devotion."

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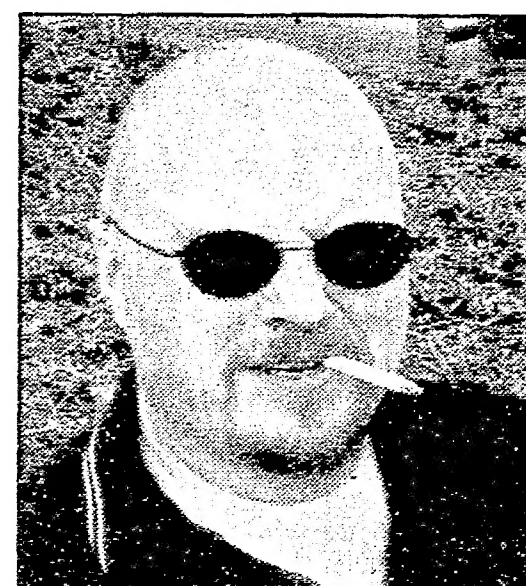
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VILLAGE VOICES

What are you most looking forward to doing this spring?



JESSE TAYLOR
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"... playing golf. I play anywhere."



VYTAS URBONAVICIUS
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"... waiting for summer."



DAVE DICKINSON
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"... making money. The (house painting) season picks up now."



NATHAN BENEDICT
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"... smoking a pipe outside."



MAURICE WIGLEY
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"... thoroughly cleaning my house."



See how to connect with your neighbors via Letters to the Editor on Page 12.

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EDITORIAL

Reading fundamentals replay in every future

By Kevin Ritchart

Gateway Newspaper editor

Americans don't spend enough time reading.

We've become gadget junkies, with our camera phones, iPods, MP3 players, laptop computers, PDAs, and anything else that catches the eye at our local electronics superstore.

As these items hit store shelves, the desire to keep up with the latest high-speed, digital, plasma, state-of-the-art gizmos on the market is overwhelming.

But keeping up with the Joneses (or, perhaps more appropriately in this case, the Jetsons) is also preventing us from enjoying a simpler form of entertainment — books.

That's where National Library Week (April 10-16) comes in. This year's theme is "Something for Everyone at the Library."

This week's schedule of events at Sewickley Public Library, listed inside The Bookmark, is full of classes — from computer to quilting, presentations, Battle of the Books competitions, a teen movie screening on Friday and an American Girls Spring Fling.

Though our libraries feature pastimes for people of all ages every week of the year, National Library Week gives these local institutions the chance to showcase their facilities through story times, seminars, computer and craft classes, and countless other interactive pursuits.



In the mid-1950s, research showed Americans were spending less money on books, instead favoring televisions, radios and musical instruments.

In response to this migration away from the written word, the American Library Association and the American Book Publishers formed the National Book Committee in 1954.

The goals of the committee are to encourage people to spend more of their leisure time reading, to improve incomes and health and to foster a strong and happy family life.

In 1957, the committee came up with the idea for National Library Week based on the idea that once people were motivated to read, they would be more likely to support and use their local library.

The following year, National Library

Week was observed for the first time with the theme "Wake Up and Read!"

National Library Week was celebrated again in 1959, and the American Library Association Council voted to make it an annual event.

When the National Book Committee disbanded in 1974, the American Library Association took over full sponsorship of the event.

Though the second week of April is recognized as National Library Week, reading is a worthwhile activity every week of the year.

How long has it been since you've been inside the library?

The next time you find yourself near the corner of Broad and Thorn Street in Sewickley, take the time to go inside and see what it has to offer.

You'll be glad you did.

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VIEWPOINT

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HERALD HONORS DINNER

Deadline nears for dinner reservations

In just 17 days we will be celebrating the contributions of another class of Sewickley Herald honorees.

And as the years of this tradition have passed — 28 and counting — it's encouraging to rediscover that the 2004 nominees have followed a similar path to arrive at this special evening.

By now you've met them all. Joan Murdoch and John Hayes were featured in April 6's Herald, and Harton Semple Jr.'s story is on Page 5 of this edition.

What these three have in common with the hundreds who have been honored through the decades is a simplicity: They've all gone about

their lives in community doing what they can to make life a little better for us all.

Murdoch, Hayes and Semple have shared their time and talents in different causes — education, municipal government, historic preservation, respectively.

They have done so quietly and with dedication, never expecting any fuss. For each, the reward has been in the doing.

That's why the honors dinner was created in 1976 by B.G. Shields, Herald editor. Every year since, when bright blooms mark the landscape, we invite the community to share in the celebration.

This year's dinner will be

held Friday, April 29, at the Edgeworth Club.

The reception begins at 6 with dinner served at 7 p.m. A cash bar is available. After the meal, our honorees are introduced by those who were applauded just a year ago.

It's a great time for appreciating our neighbors and for remembering why we've chosen this place as our home.

The cost for the dinner is \$30.

To reserve a place, call 412-388-5804 by Monday, April 25.

Let us know who will be attending and then send a check to — Sewickley Herald, 1964 Greentree Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15220.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Beauty is everybody's business

Dear Editor:

In response to the March 30 editorial, the work the garden club is doing to maintain and to improve the looks of the Village is to be commended.

There is one simple thing that every Quaker Valley resident can do, however, and that is to control litter.

My husband and I make it a point whenever we go out walking our dogs to take along a litter bag. It is not unusual for us to fill that bag and dump its contents in the trash receptacles on our route several times. We also spend time during the warmer weather working on Ohio River Boulevard to pick up litter.

But, it's too big a job for just us. Everyone needs to be involved in the effort.

Teach your children not to litter. Don't litter yourself. If you see someone littering, take them to task. Litterers do not have our permission to make a garbage dump out of our neighborhoods. And, when you see litter, pick it up and put it in the trash.

With everyone's involvement, the beauty of this wonderful place we call home will shine through.

Betty Luff
Osborne

Salk's history began in Leet

Dear Editor:

Although the article dated March 30 concerning the 50th anniversary of the Salk vaccine was very informative, I and many other residents of Leet Township would like to clarify that D.T. Watson Hospital is not in Sewickley.

The hospital (or institute) merely shares a postal zip code with them.

There are not many things that Leet Township is known for, and the residents of Leet Township are proud of the fact that this great work occurred in their community.

Cindy Wanto
Leet Township

Editor's note: You're right. The pride started in Leet but it is shared region-wide.

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Could land sale fund schools?

Dear Editor,

The Report on Facilities for 2004-05 was interesting and enlightening.

It is evident that quality education will continue for students of the Quaker Valley School District. With a 23 percent increase in enrollment projected by 2013, there will be continued pressure to optimize funding of this added expense.

Fortunately for the taxpayers, there is a simple solution.

It is the sale of the 81.76 acres in Bell Acres that the district judiciously acquired in 1967.

I am not a developer, but I would imagine there are several who would be very interested in acquiring this property.

An adjacent parcel of about one-half the acreage just sold for \$2 million.

Assume the district could obtain \$4 million for this parcel.

The proceeds could be used to cover the shortfall of \$1,152,229

and the balance would be used to reduce the balance of the 2004 bond with a resulting saving in annual interest cost of about \$75,000.

Assume that 35 homes at an average price of \$400,000 were built. At 16.9 mills, this would provide additional revenue of about \$236,000.

Assuming the board can continue to hold annual payroll increases to 2.44 per cent, there should not be a need to increase the present tax rate of 16.9 mills.

I am confident the board has done a better analysis than I, and I would hope they would proceed to sell this prime piece of property.

I was not aware the district owned the fleet of buses. Is it possible that an independent concern could provide this service at a reduced cost? The sale of the fleet would generate additional cash.

As Ms. Dreeland has pointed out in her editorials, Act 72 is not the solution.

R.T. Barbour

Fantasy figures in taxpayer's slots concern

Dear Editor:

State Rep. Democrats, Veon, LaValle, Ramaley and Bianucci state, "Act 72 promises a billion dollars in property tax relief."

I'm still wondering how many billions the citizens of our good state and surrounding states must lose at the slot machines to fulfill these Democrats' promise of \$1 billion in property tax relief.

A billion dollars is a fantasy number to us mere citizens, so I consulted with a number of fantasy figures to get their financial insight.

First, I asked the famous Santa Claus, if he expected to fill the stockings of our government officials with massive funds.

After a few "Ho, Ho, Ho's," I traveled to old McDonald's farm and asked if the governor had bought a goose. Maybe he hopes the goose can lay enough golden eggs.

Old McDonald said the slots are in more hot water than McDonald's had in their coffee when they got sued by that woman.

Then, I realized my school taxes go to the Quaker Valley School District. The slots might provide me with \$300 in tax relief against my \$2,700 school tax and that's not until 2007. By then the board will probably raise my taxes \$400 or \$500.

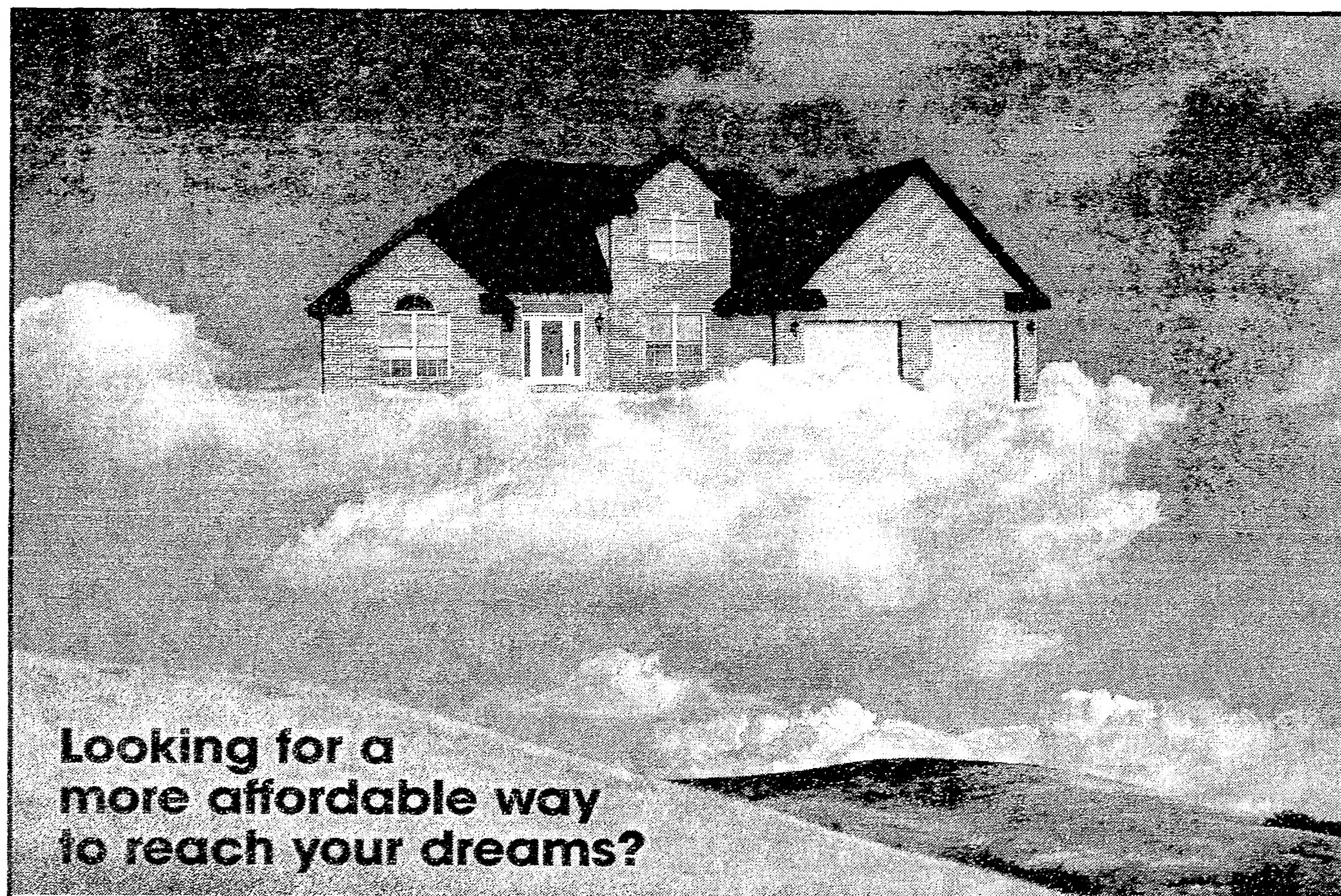
But even that is in doubt. Will the board accept the condition that we taxpayers must approve some tax rate increase in school taxes?

I consulted the people at the Weather Bureau. They said there is no chance we will ever get weather cold enough for that to occur.

Our kids will be getting a very valuable lesson: If you cannot control spending, do not use prudent practices to correct the situation, but attempt to find an entertainment vehicle which will have a negative financial impact on mostly elderly people, a billion does appear to be the correct figure.

In a few years, we citizens will hear a billion reasons why the slots didn't provide property tax relief.

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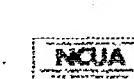
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REGION

Hardworking LCAA trio ends 14 years of community service

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was named Sewickley Herald Citizens of the Year in 2002, footed the \$25,000 party bill funded entirely by private money and donations.

To raise funds, the group held numerous fund-raisers including bake sales, spaghetti dinners, raffles, shopping sprees at Giant Eagle and door-to-door collections.

In the end, manpower was more important than money. Kaefers and his crew put up notices around town informing the public that they couldn't keep the group going without help.

He attributes a lack of interest to the misconception that the celebration is the borough's responsibility and the assumption that more people are involved in its planning.

Although it is too late to plan a summer 2005 celebration, Kaefers is open to reforming the LCAA next year or expanding the group into other communities.

"Anything's possible," he says.

However, missing even one year will make it difficult to retain participants as they book other venues this summer.



IN HAPPIER days, the LCAA trio (from left) Janet Daugherty, John Kaefers and Lynn Kohlmeier were honored as the Sewickley Herald's Citizens of the Year.

"You don't just look up carnival companies in the phone book," says Kaefers. Looking back on his time with the LCAA, Kaefers is most proud of the 2004 celebration, which was planned in conjunction with the borough in honor of Leetsdale's centennial.

"When I talk with Lynn and Janet, somebody will bring up something that happened and we'll all remember it. It's so hard to pick one memory. It was a lot of fun and a lot of work."

They've dealt with live power lines sparking minutes before the parade ended, baby raccoons refusing to come out from under the merry-go-round, and the mystery of stolen fireworks.

They handled situations with misguided men trying to sleep in ferris wheel carts, electric companies threatening to shut off power minutes before the celebration, and runaway submarines going off the parade course.

Most of all, Kaefers will remember the huge crowds of people who gathered every year to watch fireworks explode in the Leetsdale sky.

"I'm not bitter in any way. I'm sad to see it end, but you can't push forward without the manpower and we can't continue alone."

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SA hires new director of college guidance

Jennifer FitzPatrick is the new director of college guidance at Sewickley Academy beginning this fall.

CAREERS

After 10 years working in college admissions, FitzPatrick joined the academy college guidance team in 2002 under the leadership of Eva Gelman, who is stepping down at the end of the school year to pursue other professional and personal interests.

The transition from college admission to college guidance offered FitzPatrick "a seat at the other side of the table," which is what she now prefers.

"Working with 40 students throughout a 2-year college guidance process and getting to know them well," says FitzPatrick, "is much more rewarding and personal than reviewing 40,000 applications



Jennifer FitzPatrick

for admission."

She would not trade that experience, however, because it has provided her a critical perspective.

"It has been hugely beneficial to start with a thorough

working knowledge of college admissions to support our students as they negotiate the college selection, application and decision process."

With virtually all Sewickley Academy graduates continuing on to four-year colleges and universities, great care and attention are given to guiding and supporting students and their families throughout the complex and demanding college selection process.

College counselors work together with students to investigate colleges, determine the likelihood of admission, and discuss how to appropriately present themselves to the colleges and universities to which they are applying.

Parents are encouraged to participate as well, by calling on the college counselors with questions.

The importance of constant, open communication among the student, the parents, the

college counselor and the colleges is emphasized throughout the college search and admission process at the academy.

FitzPatrick sees her role as helping students assess their interests, skills and desires, and setting them on a path.

There are approximately 3,000 choices of colleges and universities and narrowing the field involves self-exploration, guidance and support.

She believes it is important that students are involved in the process of finding the right match.

"Students want honesty. We are here to support their dreams and root them on, but also to provide realistic expectations and options."

"The students at Sewickley Academy," she says, "are doing great things and it is so wonderful to work with them through this important process and, for many, the first adult decision of their lives."

FUND-RAISER

CROP helps feed hungry

Sunday's CROP Walk for World Hunger will help to feed the hungry — here and abroad.

The fund-raiser is being co-sponsored by the Ambridge and Sewickley ministeriums. Rabbi Shoshana Kaminsky and the Rev. Barry Lewis are leading the efforts of the ministerium congregations.

They hope to raise thousands of dollars to feed those less fortunate.

The event is being called "The Five Boros Walk" and it will begin at Osborne Elementary School at 1:30 for registration and end at the Center for Hope in Ambridge.

A full 25 percent of the money raised will go to the food pantries at Sewickley Community Center and the Center for Hope.

This is the second CROP Walk held in the area.

For more information about the walk, visit the Web site www.churchworldservice.org/CROP/index.html.

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Child Health Association presents 32nd tour of homes

Child Health Association of Sewickley will present the 32nd Sewickley House Tour on Thursday, May 5, and Friday, May 6, sponsored by PNC Advisors.

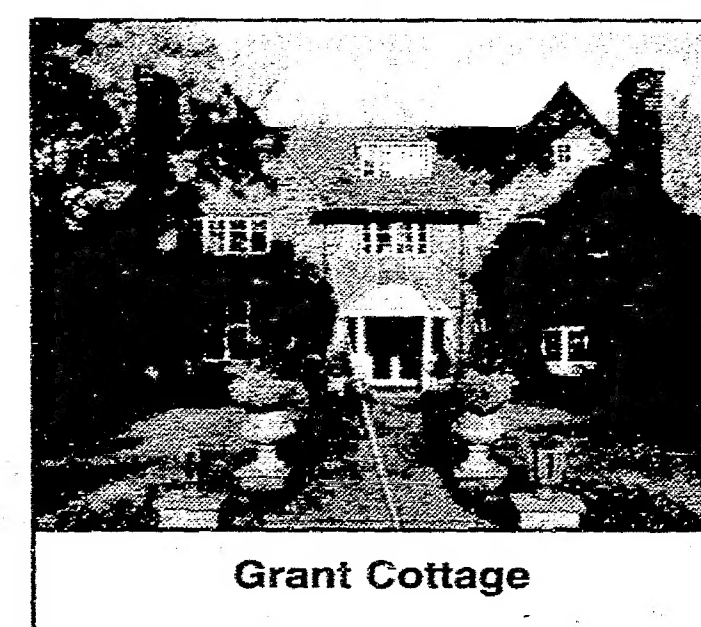
The following are homes on the tour:
 ■ The John C. Stewart House is situated on one of the most beautiful streets in Sewickley and features a genteel décor of country influence. The gardens surrounding the home are renowned.

■ The Grant Cottage is a stone home that has been lovingly restored by current owners. Glazed walls, a warm palette, and touches such as a stone fireplace in the kitchen afford an old-world feel.

■ At Seventeen Beaver the eco-friendly, contemporary home was formerly a doctor's office. After extensive renovations and additions, it is now the perfect dwelling for a fun-loving and adventurous family.

■ The Mitchell/Lambie House is a grand 19th century manse now home to a remarkable collection of international art, artifacts, and furniture. It recalls the grandeur of yesteryear while providing spacious and light-filled spaces.

■ Orchard Glen is a Craftsmen-style home that incorporates strong colors and touches of whimsy to provide an elegant yet cozy feel. Features include a



Grant Cottage

custom kitchen and numerous examples of the owner's exquisite needlepoint work.

■ Foxes Hunt is a recently constructed custom home built with the craftsmanship of yesteryear in mind. An elegant décor and substantial moldings recall the best of the past, while modern amenities, such as a light-filled lower level with 10-foot ceilings, incorporate what is desirable in modern living.

Sewickley Heights History Center, situated on its 33-acre park, also will be part of this year's tour.

Visitors will learn about the lifestyles of local residents during the late 1800s and early 1900s.

Frequently, Pittsburgh industrialists and business leaders would have summer homes in Sewickley to get away from the pollution of Pittsburgh. Grand traditions took root at that time including the Horse Show, The Hunt, and the Riding and Driving Party.

The history center features equestrian exhibits, antique car and carriage exhibits, historic videos, photos of the great estates and much more.

At the center, Child Health's philanthropic endeavors will be on display.

The award-winning Three Rivers Cookbooks and other items will be available for purchase. Samples of the famous ginger snaps from Cookbook I and other recipes from Cookbooks II, III and IV will be offered.

Tour Options

■ Bus Tour: Call 412-741-2593 or visit www.sewickleyhousetour.com to schedule a guided tour aboard a luxury coach liner with pick-up at nine locations throughout Pittsburgh and surrounding areas on Thursday, May 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The cost is \$58 and includes admission to the tour, a catalogue and lunch at Allegheny Country Club, Sewickley Heights Golf Club or the Edgeworth

Club.

■ Candlelight Tour: The self-guided tour will be Thursday evening, from 6 to 9 p.m. and costs \$25 per person.

All tour sites, with the exception of the Sewickley Heights home, will be open for viewing. The Sewickley Heights home may be seen the next day at no additional cost.

■ The self-guided Day Tour will take place on Friday, May 6, from 9 to 4 p.m. and costs \$25.

Sewickley Heights Golf Club and Edgeworth Club will welcome non-members for lunch, but reservations are requested.

Tickets for the tours are available at www.sewickleyhousetour.com, or by calling 412-741-2593.

Tickets also may be purchased from one of the 29 retail outlets throughout the Pittsburgh area, which are listed on the Web site.

These Sewickley restaurants will be giving a donation to Child Health for each House Tour visitor dining at their establishment on Thursday evening or Friday during the day: China Palace, Fondi's Fish & Poultry, Monte Cello's, Sarafino's, Sewickley Country Inn, The Sewickley Café, The Sewickley Hotel and The Green Chef's Deli.

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Local group still in grant competition

Valley Care Association has been named among the 14 winners of the first phase of The Pittsburgh Social Enterprise Accelerator's 2005 Business Plan Competition, where regional nonprofits compete for cash prizes, along with professional coaching and related support from the accelerator.

This is the second such competition where regional nonprofit organizations compete for support from the accelerator by developing innovative ideas for self-sustainability.

Called "social enterprises," the ideas are centered on approaching the mission of the nonprofit organization and the need to raise funds in an entrepreneurial manner, similar to the process that start-up businesses follow.

Valley Care Association, a provider of life enhancing services for seniors in the Sewickley Valley area, submitted a plan to sell home safety assessments and a variety of adaptive safety devices, such as ramps, grab bars and stair rail-

ings, allowing seniors to live more safely in their homes.

Phase I winners will receive feedback from the judges and professional coaching, and Phase II winners will each receive a \$5,000 cash prize.

Grand prize winners will be invited to join the Accelerator's portfolio of ventures.

The judges are professionals with experience in the development and evaluation of business plans, including investors, philanthropists, entrepreneurs and academics.

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Relay for Life keeps light of memory, hope burning

By Jon Paul Creese

Staff writer

Old or young. Big or small. Healthy or not, cancer strikes indiscriminately.

Ask Brenda Kovacs, who would like nothing more than to talk again and grow old with her sister, Diana Bruno, whom she lost during the last Christmas holiday.

"She hung on for that," Kovacs said. "I miss being with her every second. I miss the simple things like picnics and holidays."

"Easter was the first holiday she wasn't here for," she said. "Easter was just there It wasn't Easter."

Diana, who married her high school sweetheart, Victor Bruno, more than 30 years ago, died at 51 of lung cancer.

Or, ask Mark Kujawski, whose sister, Ginger Woods, suffered from breast cancer, enjoyed a short-lived remission, then succumbed to bone cancer two years ago.

"She was tough. She fought it," Kujawski said, after wiping away tears brought on by Kovacs' story. "It's a long process."

"Ginger always said, 'Don't make me sicker than I already am,'" Kujawski remembered her saying of the chemotherapy treatments.

"I want to be able to go outside. Stop when I can't do that."

She died at the age of 50.

Cancer does not always kill although it does strike often. And when it does, one thing is sure: the lives of many are affected.

Bridget Clark, eighth grader, is a good example.

The day she turned 10, she did not understand the significance of a walnut-sized tumor doctors found in her mother's breast.

Jill Clark is one of the lucky ones, sort of.

She had a mastectomy after successful chemotherapy treatments that kept her sick and tired on and off for weeks. Eight years later she is cancer-free.

"I didn't realize what she was going through," Bridget said of days she would come home from school to find her mom tired.

She remembered that relatives and friends would bring meals to the house for her family often.



HELPING AMERICAN Cancer Society programs (from left) are Brenda Kovacs, Jillian Bichsel, Eliza O'Reilly, Bridget Clark, Sarah Cornell, Josie White and Mark Kujawski.

Her best friend and fellow QV eighth grader, Sarah Cornell, said she finally understood what was happening when Jill lost her hair.

"She had this really great hair," Cornell said. "When I saw Mrs. Clark for the first time without any hair, I comprehended what was happening."

Every case is unique, but the American Cancer Society has provided a means for all to unite in memory of cancer victims and in celebration of cancer survivors with a Relay for Life Walk.

The walk will be held at the QV Senior High School track. Teams of 8 to 15 people walk continually for 24 hours, with at least one person from each

team walking at all times. The event is designed to celebrate cancer survivorship and raise money for cancer research, education and patient services programs.

The QV Band and Jazz Band will provide entertainment, as well as a magician, games and a disc jockey.

Jillian Bichsel, co-chair and organizer, said there also will be booths set up by several local businesses and snacks and refreshments will be served.

"I think it's going well for the first year," Bichsel said.

"It's hard to get something started. This community is so involved in so many different things."

Bichsel said her goal is to get at least

30 teams registered.

The event is scheduled for noon, Saturday, May 14, to noon, May 15, with an opening ceremony at 6:30 p.m. Saturday.

A survivor ceremony and walk will be held at 7 p.m., Saturday, followed by a luminaria ceremony at 8:45, during which illuminated sand bags will light the circumference on the track.

Luminaria bags will be dedicated to cancer victims or survivors and can be purchased through the QV Relay for Life Walk committee for \$10.

For more information contact Jillian Bichsel at 412-749-9396 or Brenda Kovacs at 412-741-3126.

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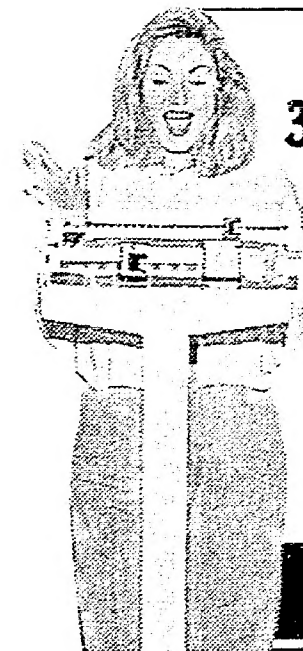
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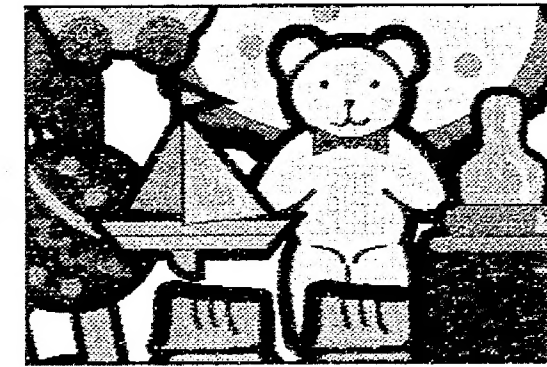
ENGAGEMENT**DEWHIRST-LATTA**

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The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of Veronica Melnyk of Leetsdale and the late Michael Melnyk, and of Joy and John Locke of Beaver Falls and the late Alan Dewhirst.

Her fiancé is the grandson of Kathryn Meyer of Glandorf, Ohio, and the late Charles Meyer, and of Carolyn and Everett Latta of McComb, Ohio.

The couple will be married on Aug. 20, 2005 at Orchard Hill Church in Wexford.

**BIRTH****PHILLIPS**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips of Grand Avenue, Neville Island, announce the birth of their daughter, Ashley Marie Phillips, on March 16, 2005, in Sewickley Valley Hospital.

The baby weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Joe and Brenda Phillips of Neville Island.

Maternal grandparents are Chuck and Gail Hall of Clinton.

Baby Ashley joins her brother, J.T., 3 and one-half, at home.

UPCOMING**Grange holds seminar on wills**

Mt Nebo Grange will sponsor a free seminar on living wills and power of attorney.

It will be held on Tuesday, April 26, at 7:30 p.m. at the Mt. Nebo Grange, 125 McAleer Road, Ohio Township.

Attorney Richard K. Brandt of Sewickley will be the guest speaker.

He will discuss the content of the living will and conduct a question-and-answer session.

For more information, call 412-366-0629.

COG meetings

Quaker Valley Council of Governments' Municipal Appeals Board will meet on the following dates, if necessary, at 7 p.m. at the Emsworth Municipal Building, 171 Center Ave., Emsworth — May 19, July 21, Sept. 22 and Nov. 17.

The board will consider any matter pertinent to the activities of the board.



For more information about the Quaker Valley COG, call John Jakiela, executive director, at 412-766-7458.

Class reunion

Quaker Valley's Class of 1985 is planning its 20th reunion on Saturday, Nov. 26, at the Holiday Inn in Moon Township. The committee is looking for classmates.

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They include: Francisco Infante and his images juxtaposing artificial art objects with nature; Michael Straus, who photographs plants and animals in the forest near his Washington, D.C. home; Katherine Mickle, and her realistic photographs; Carl Huffman, who works with both conventional and digital photography; and Constance Hanna, and her black and white studies of water, light, surface and composition.

The show will continue through June.

Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday; 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday; and by appointment.

The gallery is located on Beaver Street, Sewickley.

For further information, contact the gallery at 412-741-3036 or by e-mail at intim-age@mac.com.

Andy Russell tapped for guest appearance Friday

The Senior Men's Club of Sewickley will welcome Andy Russell, former Steeler line-backer, to Friday's meeting at the Sewickley Valley YMCA.

ON THE CALENDAR

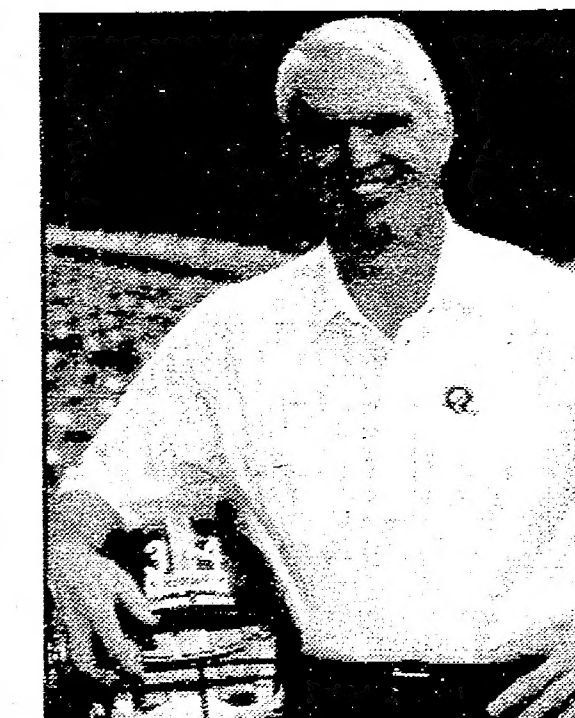
His topic will be "Lessons from My Steeler Football Career."

Russell was named to "NFL's 300 Greatest Players."

After a 12-year career in pro-football, Russell holds corporate positions in a merchant bank, a waste-to-energy plant and a real estate syndication firm.

Area retired men are invited to attend the meeting and to join the club.

The group gathers at 9:30 a.m. for coffee and donuts. The program begins at 10 a.m.



Andy Russell

Historical society

Sewickley Valley Historical Society continues its program schedule with Albert M. Tannler of the Pittsburgh His-

tory and Landmarks Foundation.

He will be guest speaker on Wednesday, April 27. His topic will be "Henry Hobson Richardson and His Heirs."

The annual meeting of the historical society will be held on Wednesday, May 25, featuring the "Music of World War II" as presented by Phillip D. Atteberry, Ph.D., University of Pittsburgh, Titusville.

To learn more about the society's programs, locations and times, call the historical society office, at 412-741-5315.

Mrs. B.G.Shields is executive director.

The office is open Tuesday through Friday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. or by appointment.

It is located in the Old Post Office Building with Sweetwater Center for the Arts at 200 Broad St., Sewickley.

At Sweetwater

There's still time to register for classes starting between April 14-22 at Sweetwater Center for the Arts.

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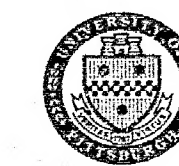
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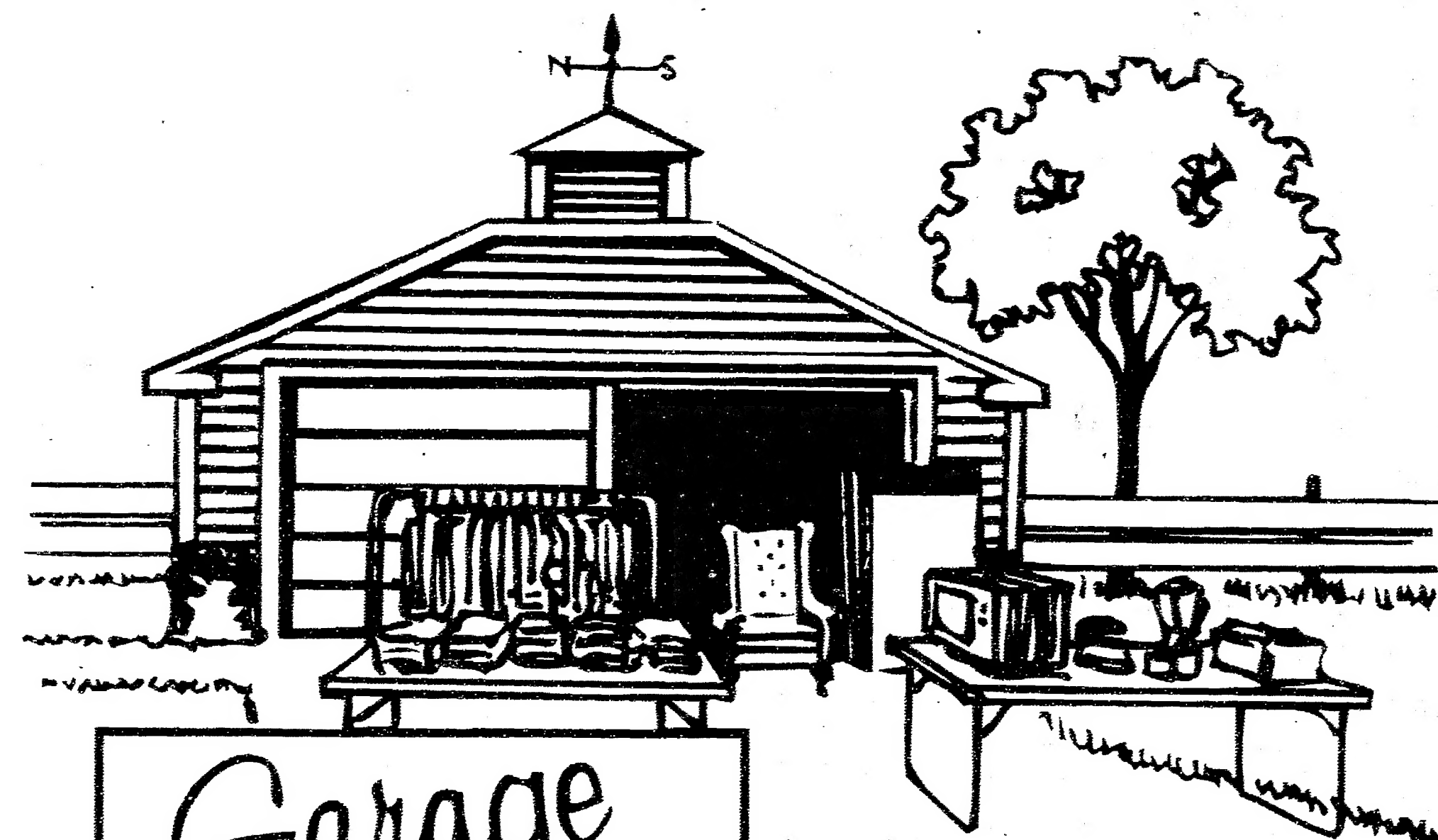
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THINGS TO DO



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"International Fare" will celebrate Pittsburgh's ethnic diversity. Leatham will cook food from around the world using recipes from the Three Rivers Cookbook on Monday, April 25, from 6:30 to 9:30.

Classes are \$20 for members, \$25 for non-members (Child Health members pay member price).

Call Sweetwater to register at 412-741-4405.

Opera luncheon

A preview luncheon in honor of the Pittsburgh Opera Production of "Fidelio" will be held at Allegheny Country Club on Thursday, April 21.

Sponsored by the Pittsburgh Opera Association, the luncheon will feature delicious food and an assortment of vendors as well as entertainment from artists of the Pittsburgh Opera Center.

Lunch will be served at noon and doors open at 10:30.

For more information, call Val Clark at 412-264-2957.

Families & Fossils

The Village Garden Club of Sewickley will sponsor an educational program for families at Sewickley Public Library on Monday, April 25, beginning at 7 p.m.

Families are invited to join Sue McJunkin, a specialist with the Carnegie Museum of Natural History, for an entertaining presentation on fossils.

Attendees will learn how fossils are formed and where to find them.

To register, call the library at 412-741-6920.

The Village Garden Club of Sewickley is a member of The Garden Club of America.

Scouts collect books for region's Read!365

By Rachel Weaver

Staff writer

Over the past school year, the 19 Girl Scouts in Troop 255 have spent hours enriching their minds as they read 365 titles collectively.

Now they're ready to share the wealth.

During the first week of May, the girls will place donation boxes throughout the Village where they will collect gently used books for Read!365, a campaign to raise public awareness and engage the community about the issue of early literacy.

The third-graders set out on a mission this school year: to read 365 books by the end. Brenda Fisk, troop leader, says despite a shortened school year caused by Edgeworth Elementary school renovations, they are close to completion.

With their goal in sight, the girls have turned their attention to their first book drive community-service project.

Members of the University of Pittsburgh's Alpha Pi Omega service fraternity are helping the girls design collection boxes, which will be located at Safran's Market, Edgeworth and Osborne elementary schools, and Sewickley Public Library.

"They're excited," says Fisk. "It helps that the older kids come and keep them on track."

"They're learning that at any age, you can volunteer, not just when you are 9-year-old Brownies."

After completing the drive,



reading to children under five years of age, and spreading the word about the program, each Brownie will earn a Read!365 patch to add to their sash of accomplishments.

Donations to Read!365 are given to individual children or placed in family support centers, community programs, daycare centers and after-school program libraries, in waiting rooms and in shelters.

Books can be almost any format, from board books and picture books, hardback or paperback, for young children to chapter books for older children.

They can be fiction or non-fiction - everything from sports to biographies, from children's cookbooks to joke books.

Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh provides recommendations for readers of all ages.

THINGS TO DO

VFW holds spaghetti dinner

Leetsdale VFW Post 3372 Ladies Auxiliary is hosting a spaghetti dinner on Saturday, April 16, from 4-7 p.m.

The cost for adults is \$6; and for children, age 3-14, \$3.

There is no charge for children, age 2 and under.

The dinner includes spaghetti and meatballs, salad, bread, dessert and beverage.

Patrons can eat in or take the meal home.

Call 412-741-5331 after 3 p.m. for more information.

Nursing alumni

The Sewickley Valley Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Association will meet at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 19, in the hospital dining room.

Reservations can be made by calling Gertrude Beistel at 724-375-4808 or Florence Keck at 412-264-5396 by Saturday, March 16.

Speakers will be Marmie Maylone from Sewickley Valley oncology department.

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This year marks the 31st PAACC Annual Golf Outing, one of the best outings in the region. Bring a foursome, a friend, or just yourself - no need to worry; we've got someone to pair you up with! This event is filled with fun, excitement, good food, prizes and plenty of networking! Can't make it for golf? Then be sure to make it to the awards luncheon where there will be plenty of networking, prizes and an opportunity to mix and mingle with fellow Chamber members!

WIN Leadership Summit

Friday, June 17, 2005
7:30 AM - 2:00 PM
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The Pittsburgh Airport Area Chamber of Commerce is offering women a wonderful, exciting opportunity to meet and interact with women leaders from the surrounding regions of Pennsylvania. Ten Chief Executive Officers of women-owned businesses will be sharing their experiences and providing insights that have lead to their success. The luncheon keynote speaker will be Tammie Aaron-Barrada - CEO/President of Aaron-Barrada. Tammie's invention, flush with success, is her product Pottiestickers. She began entrepreneurship for college tuition. While a student at Westmoreland County Community College, she ventured into a printing business, which paid her way through her Associate Degree. While toilet training her son in 2000, she became inspired to create Pottiestickers, a toddler reward system. Working through personal tragedies, Tammie continued to build up her business into the successful business it is today. She recently was awarded the Stevie Award for Best New Product in 2004. Join us in discovering how Tammie overcame her tragedies, became inspired to move on and to fulfill an unanticipated entrepreneurial dream.

Executive Women's Roundtable Participants Include:

Lois A. Bradley - The Bradley Partnership
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Debra Fox - Fox Learning Systems, Inc.
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The Ambassadors for the PAACC are a group of business men and women who continue to work on behalf of the Chamber. They actively work countless volunteer hours into their busy schedules serving the needs of our members. Dee Reichl of Eye Catcher Specialties is February's Ambassador of The Month. Congratulations, Dee!

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On Saturday, April 23, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., garden enthusiasts will have the opportunity to obtain tips from horticulture experts.

The speakers will share their expertise with home gardeners and Master Gardeners alike. This program also provides Master Gardeners with the opportunity to earn updated training hours.

The cost is \$30 per person for members of Harmonie Associates and \$35 for non-members. Lunch will be provided.

Registration and prepayment is required by Friday, April 15. Space is limited.

Call (724) 266-4500, Ext. 101 for information or to register.

Taking part will be Ruth Rouleau, teacher of horticulture with the Master Gardener Program at Phipps Conservatory. She will discuss "Planning and Planting an Herb Garden."

■ Bobbie Henke of North Hills Water Gardens will share her love of ponds and plants through her discussion, "Water Gardening for the Home Owner."

ON THE CALENDAR

■ Dean Sylvester, the historical horticulturalist of Old Economy Village, will provide alternative ways to managing overgrown, unsightly hedges.

He also will demonstrate the basics of cutting back vegetation in, "Pruning Fruit Trees and Rejuvenating Old Shrubs and Hedges."

■ Doug Oster's will present "Gardening for the Fun of It."

Oster writes "The Backyard Gardener" and also moderates The Garden Forum. He will offer tips from his own gardening experiences.

■ Les Hillyard, co-owner of Patty's Daylilies, will present "From Roadside Orange to Modern Daylilies."

As the grower of 950 varieties of daylilies, Les will share his expertise about this varied and easily grown perennial.

A tour of George Rapp's own "Garden of Eden" will be provided at the end of the day.

Rapp's garden was described by 19th century visitors to Economy as, "Neatly laid out in lawns, arbors and flower beds."

They also spoke of "an open pavilion over the pool that held a well executed female statue holding a lyre and a straw-roofed grotto."

Old Economy Village's historical horticulturalist has returned many of the old varieties of flowers and trees to the garden. Based on an 1829 list of plants flowering there, tulips, dahlias and other perennials once favored by the Harmonists can still be found in the gardens today alongside flowering apple and pear trees.

In 1804, the followers of the Separatist Rapp immigrated to America from Germany seeking religious and economic freedom. Nearly 800 farmers and craftsmen followed their leader

to Butler County, where they built the town of Harmony. Ten years later they migrated to Posey County, Ind. There, they founded a second town named Harmony, which today is known as New Harmony.

In 1824, the Harmony Society returned to Pennsylvania, settling in Beaver County along the Ohio River. There they founded "Oekonomie," now better known as Old Economy Village.

Original buildings, erected 1824-1830, are furnished with collections of the Harmonists, best known for their piety and industrial prosperity.

The new visitor's center is located at 270 16th St., Ambridge.

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Wound Healing

(April 13, 2005) - Wound healing is the repair process that follows an injury to the skin or any of the body's other soft tissues. You may have a wound as a result of trauma or from a surgical incision. Pressure ulcers or bed sores can also be considered as wounds.

Wound healing can vary in time and quality depending on the wound's depth and also on the overall health of the individual. Wound symptoms may include swelling, stiffness, tenderness, discoloration, scabbing, itching, and scarring.

Modifications in diet along with nutritional and herbal supplements may aid the wound healing. In order for the body to build and repair damaged tissue it must have sufficient amounts of calories and protein. Adding more protein to your diet will help to fuel the body's repairing mechanisms. The amount of protein and calories needed depends on the severity of the wound. Major wounds caused by trauma or major surgery require a significantly higher protein and caloric intake than a minor wound. Optimal healing of most minor wounds should not require changes from a normal, healthy diet.

Nutritional supplements can also be helpful in wound healing. However, before using herbal remedies, it is important that wounds first be properly cleaned and dressed. Doing this will help ward off infection.

"Proper wound care is very important," says Dr. Paul Collier of Sewickley Valley Hospital. "The best way to care for a wound is by keeping it clean and maintaining a healthy diet."

For more information on proper wound care, visit Heritage Valley Health System's website at www.heritagevalley.org.

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Carousel Horse Coloring Contest

This year, Kennywood has repainted all but one of the horses on the Grand Carousel. So join in the fun by coloring the carousel horse below. All entries will be displayed at the park on opening weekend, May 7 and 8.

Park visitors will vote for the winners. First, second and third place prizes will be awarded. The grand prize is having the remaining carousel horse painted to match the contest entry.



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THE ARTS

John Alexander opens exhibit at Sweetwater

Sweetwater Center for the Arts welcomes back former instructor John S. Alexander.

His recent work "Kingdom/Phylum/Family: Playing with Taxonomy" will be exhibited April 15-May 18 in Sweetwater's balcony gallery.

Alexander works with mixed media and is interested in the connections between human existence and nature.

An opening reception will be held Friday, April 15, from 7-9 p.m.

Sweetwater Center for the Arts is located at 200 Broad St., Sewickley.

Academy art

A new exhibit is set at Sewickley Academy's Campbell Galley, which showcases the work of Barbara Carrier, Colin Carrier and Dylan Engler.

Barbara Carrier, a kindergarten teacher at the academy, is showing her photographs from the rainforest and the academy's greenhouse.

Colin Carrier's art features sculpture. Engler is a glassblower. Both are academy graduates, Class of 1996.

The exhibit runs through April 20.

Sewickley Academy is located at 315 Academy Ave., Edgeworth Borough.

Keyboard notes

"Let's Get Down to Business" is the title of the next presentation for the Pittsburgh Piano Teachers Association on Wednesday, April 20.

The group will gather at 10 a.m. in the auditorium of Christ Church at Grove Farm, 249 Duff Road, Ohio Township.

The discussion/lecture will be conducted by current member, Connie Kean, and will cover topics such as how and when to raise fees, enforce policies and design working schedules.

The program will be divided into discussion groups to problem solve the many aspects of having a professional studio while achieving the highest educational caliber for students.

The program is free and open to the public.

PLAY DATE

Musical on stage tonight

Performance dates and times for Quaker Valley High School's spring musical "Oklahoma!" are Thursday, April 14, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, April 15, 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, April 16, at 1 p.m., and 8 p.m.

Ticket prices are \$8 for adults, \$6 for students and senior citizens.

Tickets will be sold in the high school gym lobby from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. today (Wednesday) and April 14 and 15.



Tickets also may be available at the door, unless the performance is sold out.

MAKING CONNECTIONS

Financial aid workshop set

Authors Gen and Kelly Tanabe are helping families meet the skyrocketing cost of college by giving free financial aid and scholarship workshops.

A workshop is planned Tuesday, April 19, 7 p.m., at Sewickley Public Library, 500 Thorn St. (Call 412-741-6920 to register).

Winners of more than \$100,000 in scholarships, the Tanabes are the authors of eight books including "Get Free Cash for College."

Their workshops are sponsored by Sallie Mae's College Answer and provide families with tips for finding and winning scholarships. For information, see www.collegeanswer.com.

With tuition increased an average of 6 percent at four-year private institutions and 14.1 percent at four-year public institutions during the 2003-04 school year, it now costs an average of \$26,854 a year at a private college and \$10,636 a year at a public college.

Fortunately, the number of scholarships available also has grown, and there are more opportunities than ever for students of all backgrounds.

The Tanabes offer this advice to help students win scholarships:

1. You don't have to be the class valedictorian or star athlete to win a scholarship.

From scholarships for being skilled with duct tape (www.ducktapeclub.com), to being tall (www.tall.org) to speaking Klingon, the fictional language of Star Trek (www.kli.org), there is college

money for everyone.

2. Look for scholarships in your own backyard.

Every city and town has dozens of service clubs such as Lions, Elks, Knights of Columbus, American Legion and Rotary that award scholarships.

While the prizes for backyard scholarships may not be as large as national ones, they have one big advantage: less competition.

3. To win, understand the scholarship's mission. To get the dough, you have to know why the organization is giving away their money.

Read the description of the award and research the organization that sponsors it.

The more you know, the stronger your application will be. You need to submit very different applications for awards for poetry as opposed to accounting.

4. Focus on leadership and contributions.

In a scholarship application, it's more important to highlight quality than quantity.

You can show quality by being a leader, winning recognition or making a special contribution.

5. Spend time to craft the essay. Scholarship committees see the essay as a window into the hearts and minds of the applicants. Essays should be original, well-written, honest and describe something meaningful.

But most important, scholarship essays need to show the scholarship committee why you deserve to win.

HELP WANTED

Junior volunteers for hospital positions

Sewickley Valley Hospital is looking for a few good young adults who are interested in sharing their summer in fulfilling volunteer work.

Junior volunteers are being recruited to provide a minimum of 50 hours of service at the hospital and its satellite facilities during the months of June, July and August. A student must be at

least age 14 by June 1, 2005, and able to volunteer once per week throughout the summer.

To receive a packet of information on the program, contact Irene Dailey, Director, Volunteer and Community Services at 412-749-7052.

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the Grand Carousel at Kennywood Park?

Well, when the park opens the weekend of May 7 and 8, one carousel horse will be sanded and primed but not newly painted like the other horses.



The grand prize winner in Gateway Newspapers-Kennywood Park's contest will have the honor of having the sanded and primed horse painted to

match his/her coloring contest entry.

If your missed it, the contest drawing can be found on page 20 of today's newspaper with the rules.

The completed entries are to be sent to Gateway's headquarters in Monroeville.

All entries will be on display at Kennywood on opening weekend. Ballots will be distributed so park visitors can vote for their favorite entries.

In addition to the grand prize award, there will be first, second and third place prizes in three age categories.

On Sunday, May 15, winners will be announced at the ceremony to unveil the horse painted to match the entry of the grand prize winner.

PLAUDITS

Grad earns SRU honors

Ashley R. Hockenberger, daughter of Cynthia Hockenberger and the late Lt. Col. John Hockenberger of Sewickley, was among students honored during the Academic Honors Convocation at Slippery Rock University earlier this month.

Hockenberger, a 2003 graduate of Quaker Valley High School, was an inductee of the Slippery Rock University International English Honor Society, Sigma Tau Delta, Eta Delta Chapter in the fall of 2004.

Members of this society must have completed nine credits in English beyond the 100 level, completed three semesters of course work, and have an overall QPA of 3.000 and a 3.100 QPA in all English courses.

She also was a 2004-2005 Barry E. Welsch Scholarship recipient. Recipients must achieve a minimum overall quality point average of 3.25. An award badge was presented at the honors convocation.

And in the same year, she was awarded the 2004-2005 Carl and Louise Woodling Scholarship.

Recipients must be a full-time student majoring in English, demonstrate academic excellence, service to the English Department and must have a minimum of 30 earned semester hours by the previous fall semester.

Other local students to receive credit for their academic achievements were Agnes Miller of Sewickley and Matthew Conrad Batina of Leetsdale.

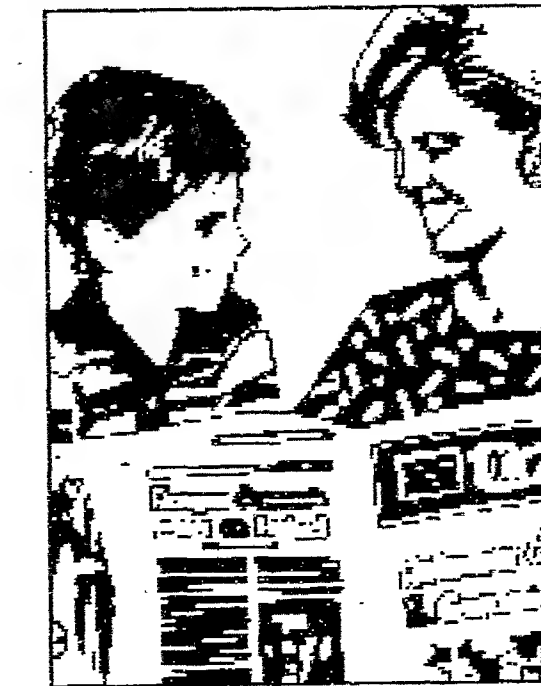
Danielle Cairns, a freshman in the school of liberal arts at Duquesne University, was named to the dean's list for the Fall 2004 semester.

She is the daughter of Stacy Cairns of Sewickley.

Marissa Vogel, a sophomore in the school of business at Duquesne University, was named to the dean's list for the Fall 2004 semester.

She is the daughter of Bob and Joan Vogel of Sewickley.

CLASSES



Watson offers family support

Watson Institute offers support group meetings throughout the school year to parents of children with special needs.

Five support programs are designed to provide an opportunity for parents and siblings touched by a child with special needs to share concerns, feelings, ideas, resources and other helpful information.

All meetings are free of charge and open to parents and siblings of students enrolled at Watson Institute, as well as the community at large.

Parents Together meets once a month from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at The Education Center. The last meeting is planned for May 6.

Parents of Autistic and Autistic-Like Students focuses on the specific issues facing families of children with autism and related development disorders.

Parents interested in learning about or sharing information about autism or a related disorder are encouraged to attend.

Meetings will be held monthly from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at The Education Center.

The last meeting dates are April 22 and May 6.

The Sibling Support Group and the Sibling Parent Discussion Group meets four times throughout the school year from 7-8:15 p.m.

Babysitting by reservation is provided for children not participating.

The last scheduled date is April 14.

For more information, call Watson Institute at 412-741-1800.



Women should be treated differently.



Drs. Richard C. Lorenzo and Zenaída Rosado

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MARISSA CREVAR (left) carries a bucket of trout through Pontefract Park in Edgeworth for the annual Sewickley Hunt and Fish Club stocking. Crevar and Marisa Noble watch as Francis Noble pulls fish from the tank.

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UPCOMING

YMCA group hosts trip to Hawaii

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EVENTS

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In addition to the study of stories of Bible characters who were wild about God, the chil-

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Each day concludes at the "Mane Event," a celebration that gets everyone involved in living what they've learned.

Family members and friends are encouraged to attend this special time at 11:30 a.m. each day.

"We hope Serengeti Trek will leave a little bit of God's love in our community," said Coyle.

Serengeti Trek begins June 20 and continues through June 24 at The Presbyterian Church, Sewickley, 414 Grant St., from 9 a.m. to noon.

For more information or to register, call 412-741-4550.

Coffee house

St. Andrew's United Presbyterian Church will host a coffee house on Friday, April 15, from 8-10 p.m.

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For more information, call the church at 412-741-8840.

Verland social

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Pancake breakfast

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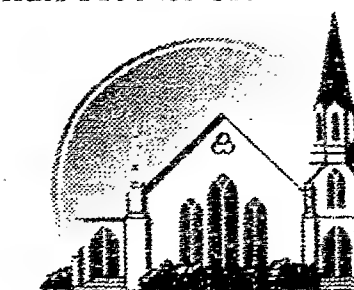
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IN MEMORY

Julius Levkoy on April 10

Julius Levkoy died on April 10, 2005.

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He was the beloved husband of Irene (Miller) Levkoy and the beloved father of Larry Levkoy, Richard (Barbara) Levkoy and Diane (Greg) Morgan.

He was the brother of Florence Waldholtz and the late Mildred Steiner.

He was the grandfather of Eric and Molly Morgan and Abraham and Ellen Levkoy.

He also is survived by nieces and nephews.

Services were held at the Ralph Schugar Chapel Inc.

Interment was in Beth Jacob Cemetery, New Kensington.

Contributions may be made to Rodef Shalom Temple 4905 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213

SERVICES

Open invitation to worship

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, 222 Beaver St., Sewickley, holds its Sunday Service at 10:30 a.m.

The Lesson-Sermon for Sunday, April 17, is titled, "Doctrine of Atonement" and will open with the quotation from II John: "... He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son."

Wednesday testimony meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. Child care and parking are provided at the church.

The Reading Room is open Tuesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Wednesdays from 6:30 to 7:25 p.m.

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Memorial service for Dulcy Starkes

A memorial service will be held for Dulcy Hayden Starkes on Saturday, April 16, at 11:30 a.m. at Richard D. Cole Funeral Home Inc., 328 Beaver St., Sewickley.

IN MEMORY

Following the service, family and friends will be welcomed for a repast at the Sewickley V.F.W.

Interment will be private.

Mrs. Starkes, 73, a longtime resident of Sewickley, went home to be with the Lord, on March 31, 2005.

She was born Dec. 2, 1931, in Philadelphia, the daughter of Gettis and Lucy Hayden, who preceded her in death.

She was the loving mother of Jamie Starkes and Vanessa



Starkes, both of Sewickley, and Vantetta Starkes Mills of McKees Rocks, and grandmother to Leon Williams II of Columbia, S.C.

She lived her earlier years in Pittsburgh where she attended Madison Elementary School

IN MEMORY

Trevor Pantezzi succumbs to acute leukemia

Trevor Alexander Pantezzi, two year-old son of Laurie Johnson, (previously of Edgeworth) and Todd Pantezzi and grandson of Tom and Cathie Johnson of Edgeworth, succumbed to leukemia on March 15, 2005.

Trevor was diagnosed with acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL) in May 2003, at seven weeks old. He was treated at Children's National Medical Center in Washington, D.C., for the past two-plus years.

Trevor endured chemotherapy, but suffered numerous complications, including neurological trauma. He achieved early remission, yet tragically the cancer reappeared shortly before Christmas of 2004.

Renowned experts in infant ALL considered further treatment inadvisable for his condition. Trevor was at home in Darnestown, Md., for the remainder of his short life



Trevor Pantezzi

under the care of Montgomery Hospice. He died peacefully in his mother's arms on a beautiful sunny spring day.

Trevor's illness and his courageous fight against

leukemia made him known to dozens of people throughout the Sewickley and surrounding areas as the Johnsons shared his story. The congregation of The Presbyterian Church of Sewickley, where the Johnsons are active members, provided tremendous support throughout his 22-month illness.

Trevor will be most remembered for his radiant smile and delightful personality that brought cheer and joy to anyone who was fortunate enough to meet him. He was a ray of sunshine on a cloudy day.

A celebration of Trevor's life was held in Maryland at The Potomac Presbyterian Church on Saturday, March 19, 2005.

The family is asking that donations be made to The Center for Cancer and Blood, Children's National Medical Center, Attn: Marian Brodsky, 111 Michigan Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20010. Checks must state "In Memory of Trevor Pantezzi."

She was a choir member and deaconess, and served on the missionary board.

Memorials may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, The Diabetes Foundation or to the Sewickley Valley Hospital Foundation Memory Circle Board.

SPORTS

Quaker Crunch



JOE FOGEL (right) slides into second during a game against Cornell earlier this year. Adam Vish, waits for a pitch. The Quakers, who went under .500 last year, are undefeated in their section this year.

Photos by Tim Edmonson

Quakers dominate first section game against Quips

By Jon Paul Creese

Sports editor

Will 4-1 Quaker Valley or 4-1-1 Freedom be the team? Is it the 5-2 Center Trojans, or the advent of a strong South Side Beaver team that will determine who takes the section?

At this point, it's hard to tell, but the Quakers certainly have a good shot.

"It's really up for grabs," Coach Greg Vecchi said explaining that the advent of a solid South Side Beaver team and elimination of Blackhawk

has complicated the section. "Who knows with this section; it's a toss up."

QV beat Aliquippa 11-1 in their section opener last week. The highlight came when when Quakers had bases loaded, and Justin Miller hit one just shy of the fence, bringing three runs in and earning a triple for himself.

Vecchi masks his enthusiasm for the Quakers chances this year, and success to date, well.

Though he does have an additional reason to be wary after last week when Greg Frederick, pitcher, fielded a

ground ball that popped up and hit his eye, breaking a cheek and nose bone.

Frederick is out indefinitely. "It puts a big dent in the team," Vecchi said but added that the boys "just picked up the slack."

"It didn't phase us," Vecchi said of the 14-8 Quaker upset over S.S. Beaver, during which Frederick suffered his injury. "The boys hung tough after he left."

The next section test for QV will be Friday's game against Freedom.

"They are always a good hitting

team," Vecchi said. "They had a nice comeback against S.S. Beaver."

Vecchi said Joe Scherer will most likely pitch for the Quakers against Freedom and there will be other changes as well.

Joe Fogel will probably stay behind the plate. Evan Fields could move from second to short.

Hunter Metzger will move to second from the outfield.

The Quaker powerhouse travels to Freedom to battle the Bulldogs Friday at 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Lady Quakers continue rebuild

By Jon Paul Creese

Sports editor

Head Coach Dominick Costanza yells encouragement to a Lady Quaker batter from the third base line. She swings. "Ster—ike."

Costanza offers more encouragement, then the ump calls another, "Ster—ike." She's out.

It's another tough year for the QV girls, especially on days like this when

they face a fast pitcher from New Brighton, or when they match up against Sto-Rox, last year's WPIAL champs.

Returning from a two-win season that Costanza viewed as a rebuilding year, the Lady Quakers find themselves back in an uphill battle with five straight losses, two in double digits.

But there is Costanza again, yelling

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TRACK AND FIELD

Quakers gear up for section win

By Jon Paul Creese

Sports editor

Quaker Valley track and field head coach Jerry Veshio was not overly confident until the results from a meet against South Park came in Thursday, which the QV boys' and girls' teams ended up winning.

"We did adequately well," he said of the team's first section meet against Our Lady of Sacred Heart and Mount

Alvernia. The QV boys beat OLSH 81-55. The girls won 104-37 and defeated Mt. Alvernia 117-17. Alvernia does not have a boys' team.

"We will vie for the section title in boys and girls," Veshio said. "But [the South Park meet] will determine who finishes ahead of who."

"If we win that one, we can win the section."

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SOFTBALL

Lady Panthers retool, struggle through another slow season start

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encouragement from the side. And there are the girls again, trying to turn a losing season into a winning one.

It's not all bad; and the girls can expect a few wins this season.

A losing team that keeps trying is as courageous as a championship team is cohesive.

That's not to say the Lady

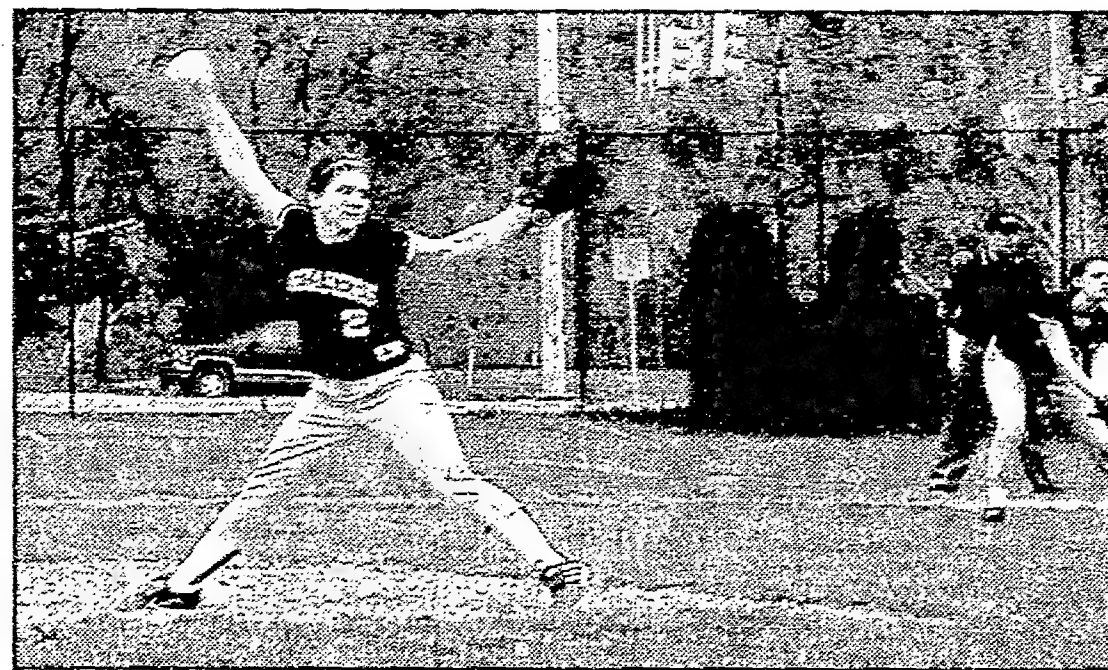
Quakers lack talent, they just haven't employed it as efficiently as some of the other teams.

And Costanza is trying to keep it simple.

"We've set goals, and we're out to achieve them," he said candidly. "I tell the girls I've got high expectations."

"They really worked hard in the off season. I'm proud of what they've accomplished."

"I definitely expect a win from that one," he said of an



LAUREN CENKNER (left) winds up for the pitch during a game against New Brighton. Cenker, QV sophomore and two-year starter, confers with senior Ashleah Kuriger, catcher.



Photos by Jon Paul Creece

upcoming section match against Freedom last week.

And the girls pulled it off with a 14-8 upset over the Lady Bulldogs.

The bottom line: Costanza stands by his team, good times and bad.

But, can they keep it going?

The Lady Quakers have two sophomore pitchers. Lauren Cenker is a second-year starter.

If the Lady Quakers hope to keep the runs down (they had 66

runs scored against them in their first five games), Cenker will have to build up speed and the defense needs better organization and cohesion.

Costanza does have a couple of talented seniors and team leaders.

"She's a third-year starter, and we've thrown a lot of things in," he said of the extra responsibilities he's given catcher Ashleah Kuriger, senior.

"She calls plays. She's more aware of everyone on the field."

Another senior, Jessica Entwistle, plays left field. Costanza said he is impressed by her leadership skills.

Entwistle was batting three for five at the time, and she had hit two doubles in two games.

"She's been hitting the ball pretty good," Costanza said.

The problem is, so have the other teams.

But the Lady Quakers still have a shot, if they can buckle down.

TRACK AND FIELD

Quakers dismantle tough South Side

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So it's looking good for QV. Veshio has led the Quakers to numerous section titles and has taken the girls' team to three WPIAL championship titles, carrying on a tradition of excellence in QV track and field.

Rounding out the boys' team this year are seniors Mark Steinmetz, sprinter, and Rick Canter, discus, and juniors Andy Gregor, distance runner, and Darren Rogers, who broke into QV's

top five all-time bests in the 100 hurdles (15.7 seconds) and triple jump (43.3 feet).

Rogers is one two QV jumpers to ever surpass the 43-foot mark, Veshio said.

Steinmetz sprints the 100 and 200. Gregor runs the 800 and 1600.

"I'm expecting good things from them," Veshio said.

Veshio is even more excited about the girls' team, which won the WPIAL gold last year and retains much of the talent that took them there.

"Two senior girls really dominated," Veshio said of Clair

Shorall and Eryn Correa. "They're just dynamite. Their work ethic is incredible and their workouts are phenomenal."

"They continue to push themselves," he added. "They are two of the tops in WPIAL. They make us a strong team in distance."

Veshio also relies on a couple of sprinters, junior Katia Kimbrough and sophomore Cheronda Craig. The two sprint the 400 relay and are back from the states where they took second place last year.



ERYN CORREA, Quaker Valley senior, participates in a relay against Our Lady of Sacred Heart and Mount Alvernia. The girls defeated South Park during one of the most anticipated matches of the season last week.

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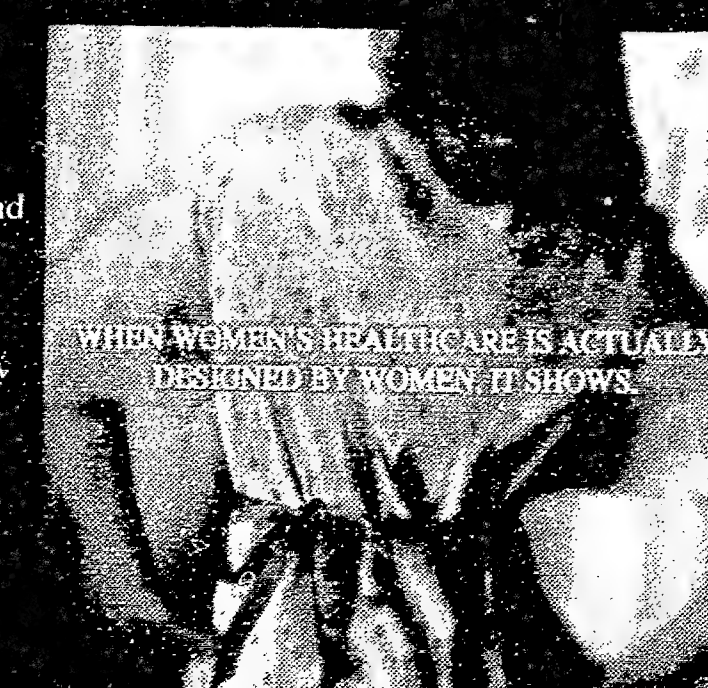
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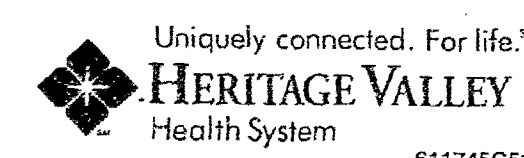
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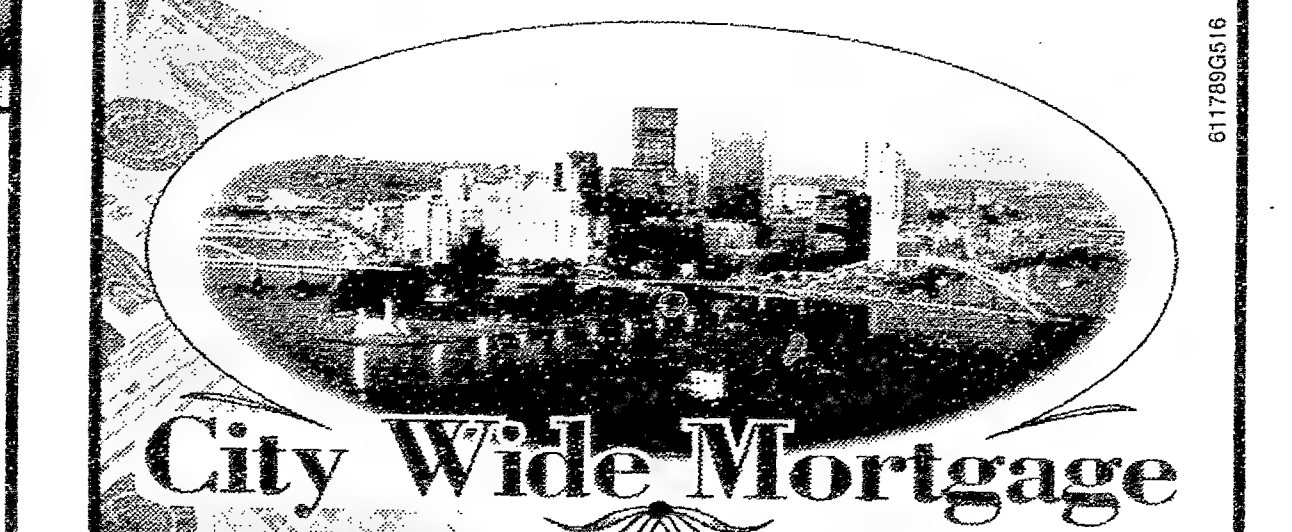
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BOYS' TENNIS

Academy tops Quaker Valley in rivalry match

By Jon Paul Creese
Sports editor

It isn't as if the tables have turned necessarily, but they certainly seem a bit more level than last year with the absence of WPIAL singles gold medalist Zach Skorupka and the addition of Alex Sinu.

Skorupka left the Academy for North Allegheny. Sinu is a freshman recruit to Quaker Valley from Long Island, N.Y.

Last year, Quakers were the only Class A team able to hold a candle to the Academy.

This year, the Quakers are out to douse that fire. But, it's going to take more than they had for the Panthers Friday afternoon

at Nichols Field.

The Academy defeated QV 4-1.

Sinu gave QV its sole win at first singles against Evan Stiegel, who was suffering from a quarter-sized blister on his palm, 6-1, 6-4.

QV's Rick Houghton, last year's WPIAL bronze medalist, was also not full-strength as he recently had his wisdom teeth removed.

He dropped the match to SA's Trevor Heck, 7-6, 6-1.

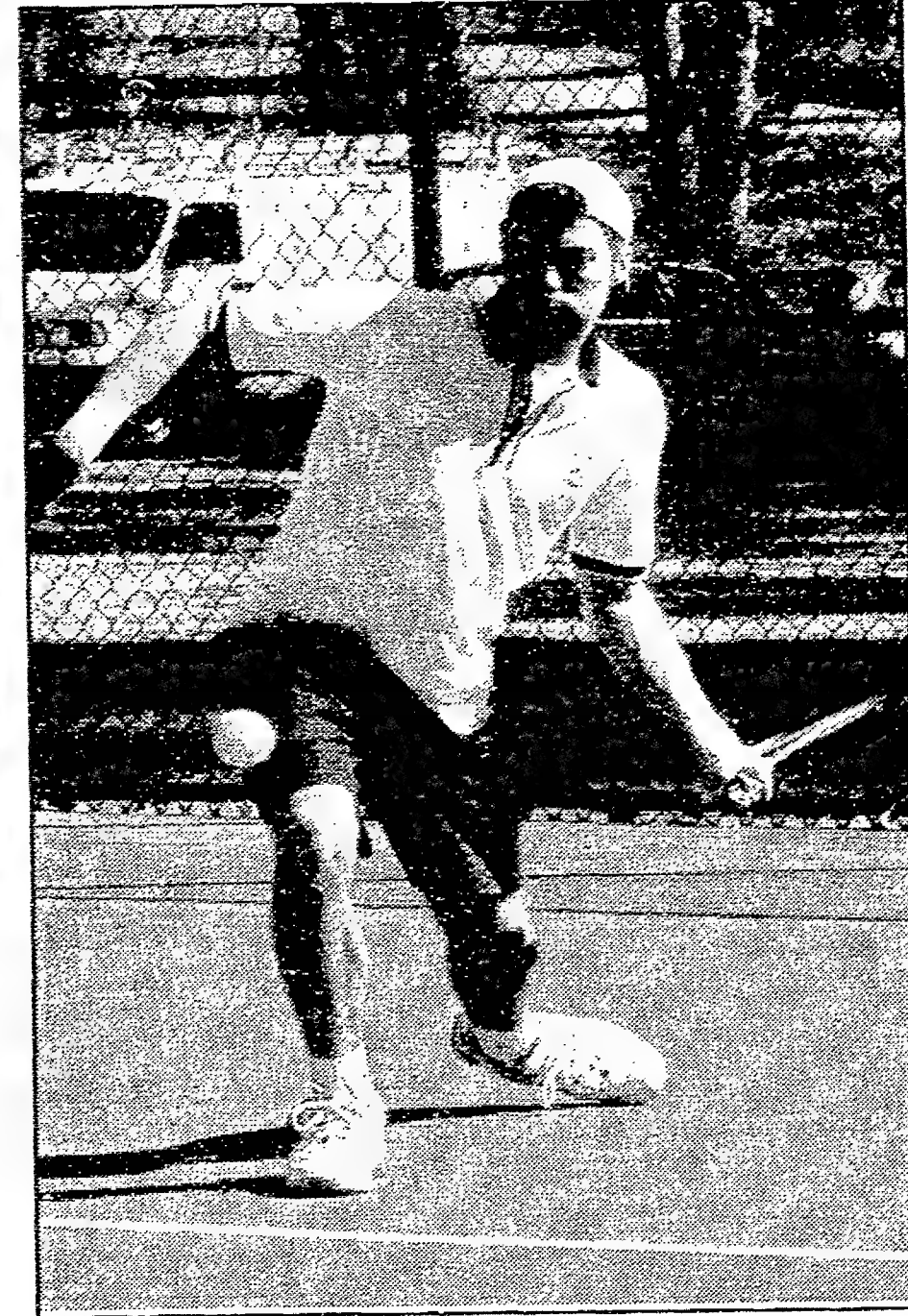
Also winning for SA were Matt Kaye, third singles, Matt Hoch and Jeff Mozur, first doubles and Benji Greenberger and Vik Sunder, second doubles.

The two teams meet again May 4, just before the section playoffs begin.



TREVOR HECK (above), Sewickley Academy senior, takes on Quaker Valley's Rick Houghton in second singles Friday at Nichols Field. See the Herald for QV and SA singles profiles in the coming weeks.

Photos by Tim Edmonson



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HOME OF THE WEEK

Edgeworth Lane home offers exceptional design

The large entry hall of this gracious Sewickley village colonial offers an inviting welcome to guests with its hardwood floors, crown molding, stately oak newel post, brass and glass lighting, and large coat closet.

Well designed, the home unfolds off the central hall to provide an ideal floor plan for daily living and entertaining.

The living room is large and bright, with hardwood floors, crown molding, wood-burning fireplace with Federal-style mantel and tile hearth, recessed lighting and built-in bookcases, storage cabinets and bench seat.

Opening from the living room is the quiet study, the perfect enclave for a home office, with its large bay window, vaulted ceiling, decorative fireplace, ceiling fan, recessed lighting, neutral carpeting and built-in bookcases.

The spacious dining room is large enough to meet all entertaining needs.

The nicely remodeled, fully-equipped kitchen is located in the heart of the home. And opening from the kitchen is the great room, with French door opening to the brick patio and private, landscaped backyard.

Completing the main level is a powder room.



On the upper level, the master suite is spacious with double closets, neutral carpeting and ceiling light. The remodeled master bathroom features a tub/shower with ceramic tile surround.

There are three other bedrooms on the second level. A hall bathroom services these bedrooms.

The lower level is finished and offers a

new gameroom, laundry room and ample storage areas.

Outside, there is plenty of space for gardening, relaxation and recreation.

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Who's buying, who's selling in the area

Aleppo

Gregory Gebara sold property at 101 Forest Edge Drive to Frederick and Eileen Killmeyer for \$134,000.

James Clark sold property at 607 Sewickley Heights Drive to Shirley Cuozzo for \$136,500.

Edgeworth

Charles Singer sold property at 330 Highland Lane to Brodhead Corp. for

MARKET WATCH

\$97,000.

Mellon Bank NA trustee sold property at 208 New England Place to Antonette Roppo for \$302,500.

Leetsdale

Roxann Lewis Murray sold property at 32 Spencer St. to Jason and Briana



Dillaman for \$83,430.

Sewickley

Darryl Rodney Spencer sold property at 865 Farren St. to 865 Farren Street

Land Trust for \$22,500.

John Carrell sold property at 615 Locust Place to Janet McChesney for \$385,000.

Sewickley Heights

George Oliver sold property at 205 Barberray Road to Carl and Thressia Kriebel for \$600,000.

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Howard Hanna holds super open house

The biggest real estate event of the year will take place Sunday, April 17, when Howard Hanna Real Estate Services hosts 2,005 open houses during its 16th annual Open House Extravaganza.

In celebration of the spring buying season, Howard Hanna is offering an opportunity for home buyers to tour thousands of homes in different styles,

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Nearly 100 Pittsburgh-area open houses can be previewed on a special one-hour episode of The Sunday Showcase of Homes that will air Sunday, April 17, at 11 a.m. on KDKA. The show will highlight single-family homes, con-

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One lucky participant in this event will win \$2,005 toward closing costs on a home purchased through Howard Hanna. Entries for the contest will be available at each open house location. Open houses will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. (times may vary by location).

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307 PEEBLES STREET Capturing the scope of Village living this three-story, four bedroom, 2.5 bath Colonial is loaded with amenities. Large formal living room with gas log fireplace, high ceilings and wide plank floors. Formal dining room with gas log fireplace, marble mantle and crown molding. Family room/den with gas log fireplace for solitude or entertaining. Wonderful level rear garden with open spaces, lovely views and a pond. Two-car garage. Convenient to everything that makes Village living great! Linda Taylor 412-741-2200 \$325,000	238 CHESTNUT STREET Grand entry with beamed ceiling joining the formal living room with a carved mantle, built-in book cases and custom window shutters. Windows in the dining room highlights the mantle and custom china cabinet. Large kitchen with ceramic tile floor, generous cabinetry and pantry. Open stairway to the second floor. Total of five bedrooms, three on the second and two on the third, and two full, modern baths. Game and play area also on the third level. Hardwood floors on the first and second floors and restored original detail. A wonderful location, one block from the Village stores. Kay Caravaggio 412-741-2200 \$374,900	423 MEADOW LANE Enjoy the convenience of this Village Colonial. Set for today's living with a new equipped center island kitchen, hardwood floors throughout the dining room that captures the level lawn and the oversized living room with gas log fireplace. Main level powder room with new hardwood floors, as in the kitchen. Three bedrooms and two bathrooms with new ceramic tile. New front porch/ventry adds great style. Garage. Kay Caravaggio 412-741-2200 \$379,000
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SEWICKLEY HEIGHTS 6 Pony Hollow Rd. - Located on 7.65 acres of beautiful countryside, this splendid brick residence offers vistas from every window and lots of natural light. The first floor master suite is a bonus as is the large kitchen with plenty of storage space, a center island, breakfast bar, and adjacent screened porch. As an efficient floor plan combined with handsome detailing make this house a very attractive purchase. Only minutes from the Village and shops, the peaceful setting includes a golf course view, mature trees, a patio and pond. Dir: Blackburn Rd. to L. on Country Club Rd., R. Pony Hollow to home on R. \$398,000 OPEN SUN 1-4	SEWICKLEY This lovely brick home is centrally located in the Village along a pretty street. Features of this fine home include 4 spacious bedrooms and 2.5 baths. The large living room includes a fireplace. There is a handsome formal dining room and first floor family room. Lovely moldings and fine details throughout. Covered front porch, level lot with beautiful plantings and a detached garage. Quality throughout. \$474,000 NEW LISTING	ALEPPO TOWNSHIP Wonderful spacious ranch style home on a pretty, well planted lot. This home features 3 large bedrooms, nice living room with a fireplace, formal dining room, eat-in kitchen and comfortable family room. There is a new roof and a large basement with lots of space for a future game room. Integral garage and more. \$225,000 JUST LISTED
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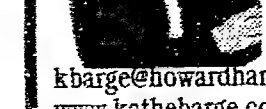


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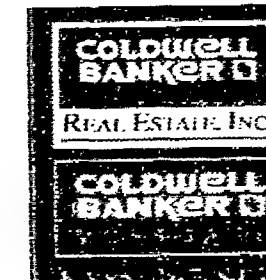
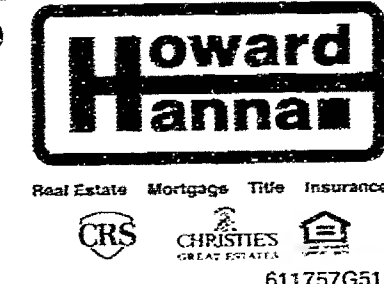


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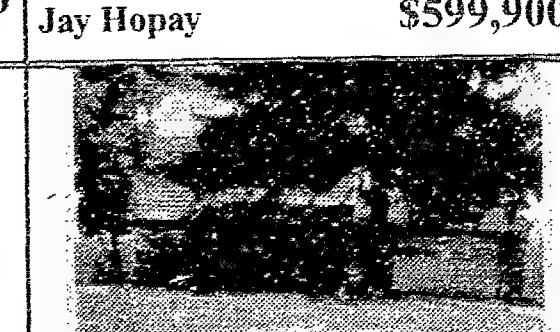
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Jay Hopay \$599,900



This solidly built country home has 4 bedrooms and 1.5 baths. Features a dining room with a stone fireplace and a 22X14 Florida room off a finished basement. Work shop in the basement.

Rick Xander \$164,900

IN THE NEWS

Agents named to Circle Gold award

The team of Susie Reuter and Beverly McQuone, sales associates for Prudential Preferred Realty's Sewickley office was honored as Chairman's Circle Gold awarders at the Prudential Real Estate Affiliates Convention.

Reuter and McQuone received the honor at a special awards ceremony at the Annual Sales Convention in Las Vegas in March 2005, which was attended by more than 7,000 real estate professionals from the United States, Mexico and Canada.

"Susie and Beverly's love of the real estate business shows in their level of commitment and professional service," said Ronald Croushore, chief executive officer of Prudential Preferred Realty.

"We are proud to have them on our Sewickley team."

Reuter and McQuone, whose careers in real estate have each spanned more than 20 years in sales, have consistently been recognized nationally as well as locally.



Beverly McQuone



Susie Reuter

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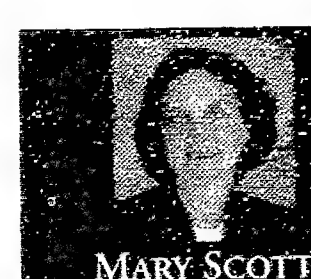
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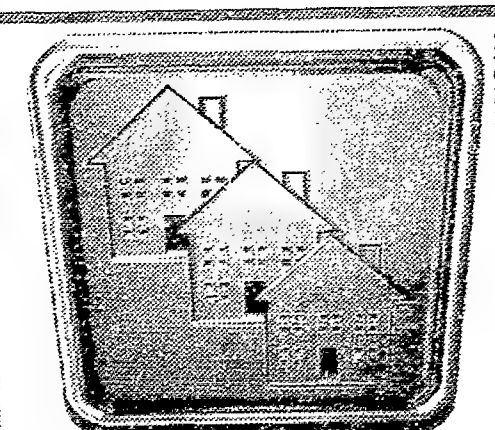
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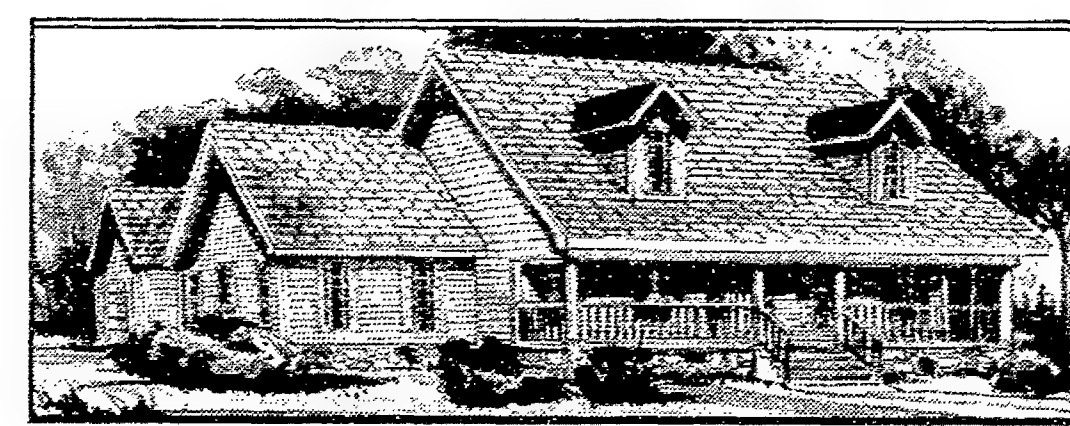
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DESIGN OF THE WEEK

Whitingham design features comfortable family living

The contemporary-Craftsman Whitingham offers observers a wide spectrum of eye-catching details.

Shingles blanket the chimney as well as the gable ends, which are further accented by decorative supports.

Stone veneer wainscoting adds a country look, and most of the windows have craftsman-style gridding on their upper edges. Slender posts flank the entry, and another set highlights the third garage door.

Plenty of natural light washes into the foyer through multi-paned sidelights and a gracefully arched transom. On the right, double doors swing open to access a den with a gas fireplace.

This room could be furnished as a home office, library/study, or whatever is needed.

Next to those doors, an arched opening leads into the master suite. A wider arch, directly ahead, guides you into the spacious family living area.

This is clearly the heart of the home.

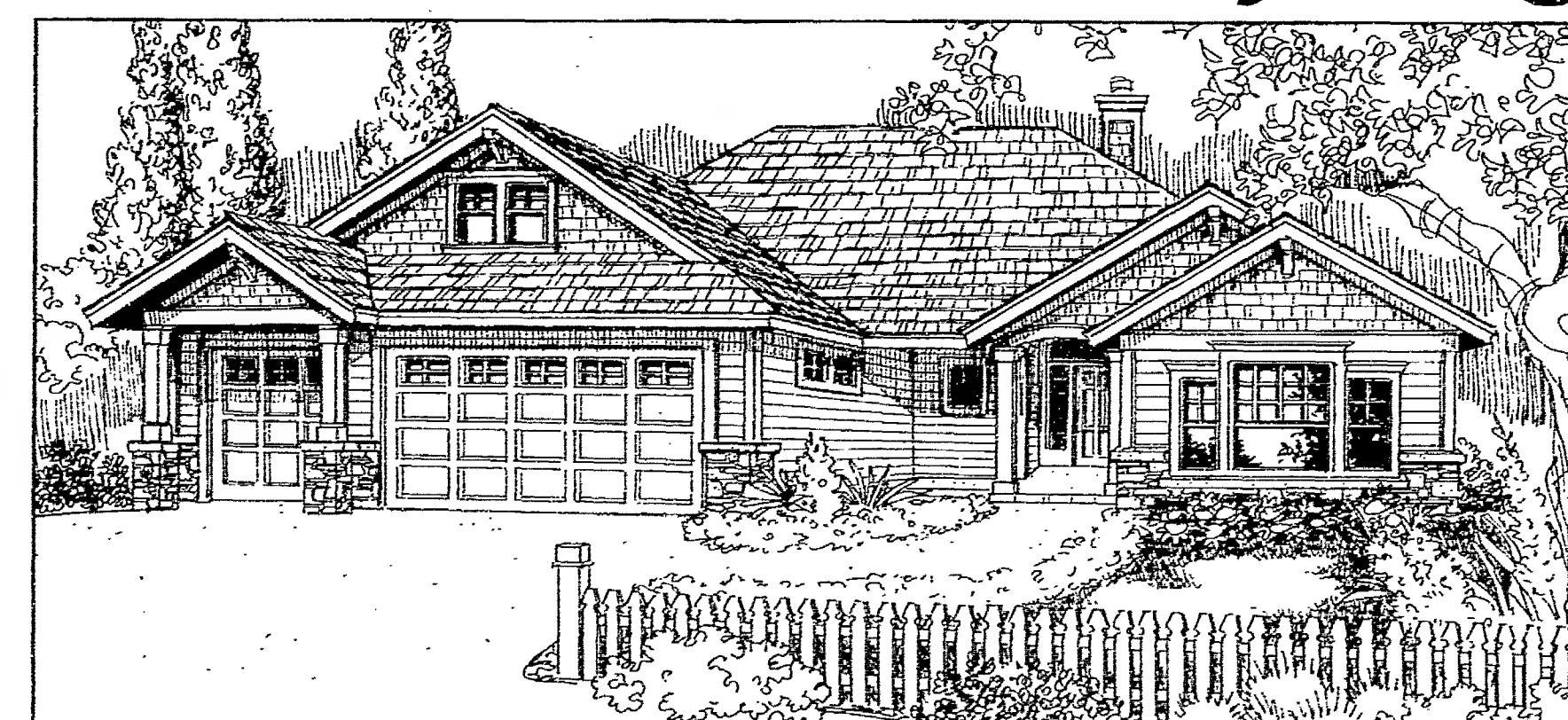
Dining room, living room and kitchen flow together here for comfortable family living. All parts are visually open, but the long, raised eating counter does allow the kitchen crew to conceal cooking clutter.

Standing behind that counter, you can enjoy watching flames dance in the wood-burning fireplace across the room. Or linger at the kitchen sink to take in the changing seasons as they play out in the view to the rear.

The large, partially covered patio can be accessed from either the kitchen or the living room.

The Whitingham's master suite is in the right wing. Secondary bedrooms, utilities, and a two-section bathroom fill the left wing.

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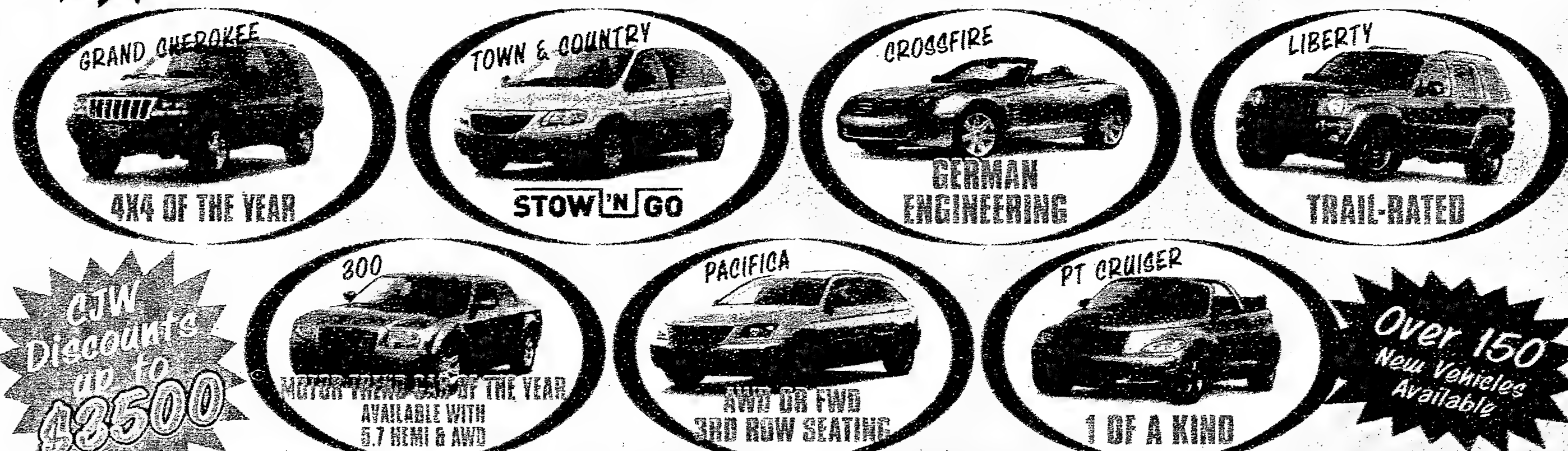
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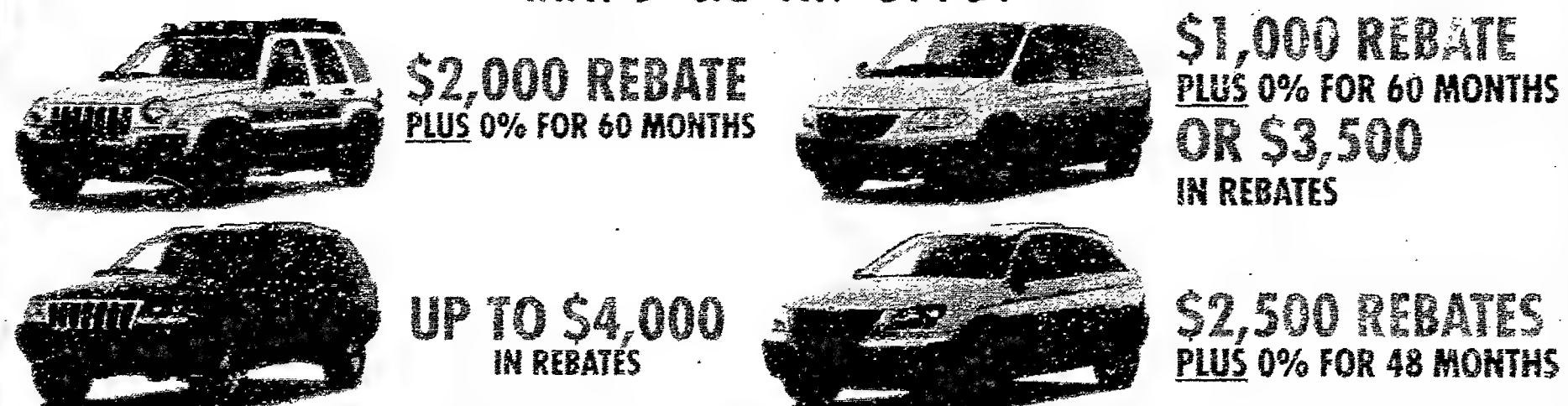
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SUMMARY OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

	General Fund	State Highway Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds	Total
CASH BALANCE - JANUARY 1, 2004	32,090	-	309	333,906	27,032	393,337
REVENUES						
Taxes	846,373	-	-	-	-	846,373
Licenses and Permits	99,930	-	-	-	-	99,930
Fines and Forfeits	9,156	-	-	-	-	9,156
Interest, Rents, and Royalties	21,345	-	7	3,520	-	24,872
Federal Government Revenue	-	-	25,970	-	-	25,970
State Government Revenue	84,290	19,930	-	-	131,935	236,155
Local Government Revenue	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charges for Services	57,657	-	-	1,359,035	-	1,416,692
Miscellaneous Revenue	-	-	-	-	29,277	29,277
Proceeds of Revenue Notes	1,643,000	-	-	-	-	1,643,000
Proceeds of Tax Anticipation	140,000	-	-	-	-	140,000
Other Financing Sources	57,152	-	-	-	-	57,152
TOTAL REVENUES	2,958,903	19,930	25,977	1,391,832	131,935	4,528,577
EXPENDITURES						
General Government	211,108	-	26,134	112,277	14,155	363,674
Public Safety	460,130	-	-	21,776	-	481,906
Health and Human Services	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Works - Sanitation	64,083	-	-	341,038	-	405,121
Public Works - Highways	-	-	-	-	-	-
and Streets	65,055	19,930	-	-	-	84,985
Other Public Works Enterprises	-	-	-	672,483	-	672,483
Culture and Recreation	30,917	-	-	-	-	30,917
Community Development	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Service - Principal	1,580,000	-	-	-	-	1,580,000
Interest	21,754	-	-	53,261	-	75,015
Tax Anticipation Loan - Principal	140,000	-	-	-	-	140,000
Interest	1,375	-	-	-	-	1,375
Miscellaneous Expenditures	276,791	-	-	95,403	129,712	501,906
Other Financing Uses	52,768	-	-	-	-	52,768
Transfers to Other Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	2,903,981	19,930	26,134	1,296,238	143,867	4,390,150
EXCESS/(DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	54,922	-	(157)	95,594	(11,932)	138,427
CASH BALANCE - DECEMBER 31, 2004	87,012	-	152	429,500	15,100	531,764

(293 4-13-05, 1T)

KENNEDY TOWNSHIP
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
BALANCE SHEET - CASH BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2004

	General Fund	Liquid Fuels Fund	Sewer Fund	Internal Service Fund	Pension Funds	Long Term Debt Account Group	Total (Memorandum only)
ASSETS							
Cash and Investments	\$ 1,924,725	\$ 72	\$ 4,505,545	\$ 10,659	\$ 2,584,022	\$ -	\$ 9,025,023
Amount to be provided for long term debt	-	-	-	-	-	8,249,043	8,249,043
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,924,725	\$ 72	\$ 4,505,545	\$ 10,659	\$ 2,584,022	\$ 8,249,043	\$ 17,274,066
LIABILITIES							
Long term debt	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,249,043	\$ 8,249,043
FUND EQUITY							
Restricted fund balances	-	72	4,505,545	10,659	2,584,022	-	7,100,298
Unrestricted fund balance	1,924,725	-	-	-	-	-	1,924,725
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$ 1,924,725	\$ 72	\$ 4,505,545	\$ 10,659	\$ 2,584,022	\$ 8,249,043	\$ 17,274,066

STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - CASH BASIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

REVENUES							
Tax revenues	\$ 1,856,890	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,856,890
Other revenues	402,696	126,235	1,254,588	157	322,255	-	2,105,931
Other financing sources	1,000,000	-	4,193,098	-	-	-	5,193,098
TOTAL REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	3,259,586	126,235	5,447,686	157	322,255	-	9,155,919
EXPENDITURES							
2,507,620	126,208	1,952,912	46,752	148,135	-	-	4,781,627
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER FUNDING SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ 751,966	\$ 27	\$ 3,494,774	\$ (46,595)	\$ 174,120	\$ -	\$ 4,374,292

LONG-TERM DEBT AT DECEMBER 31, 2004

Description	Final Maturity	Total
AIM Loan	2005	\$ 15,000
Note Payable - Police Car	2007	15,613
Note Payable - Payloader	2008	45,332
Series of 2002 General Obligation Bonds	2015	2,980,000
Series of 2004 General Obligation Bonds	2029	5,193,098
		\$ 8,249,043

The above concise financial statements are prepared to comply only with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Township Code. A complete copy of the 2004 Audit Report prepared by an Independent Certified Public Accountant is available for inspection at the Township's offices.
(296 4-13-05, 1T)

NEVILLE TOWNSHIP
ZONING HEARING BOARD
LEGAL NOTICE

The Neville Township Zoning Hearing Board will hold a Variance Hearing at the request of Handee Mart (7-Eleven) at 6500 Grand Avenue, Neville Island. Handee Mart has requested a variance to offer and sell diesel fuel.

The hearing will be held on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, at 7:30 P.M. in the Municipal Building. All persons interested in said variance are invited to be present at the above time and place and you will have an opportunity to be heard.

Walter London, Chairman
Zoning Hearing Board

(261 4-6, 4-13-05, 2T)

BOROUGH OF SEWICKLEY
OFFICIAL NOTICE

The Zoning Hearing Board, Borough of Sewickley, will hear the following appeals and/or variances for the same on May 3, 2005 at 7:30 P.M. at the Municipal Building, 601 Thorn Street, Sewickley, PA 15143.

David Murray, agent for the owner, Friendship Developers LLC, of the property at 239 Ferry Street, Block & Lot # 507-R-13, in the R-1A Zoning District, propose to erect a single family dwelling with a driveway and seek relief from Chapter 27 of the Sewickley Code of Ordinances Part 2 Section 207 Table 2 (Dimensional Requirements).

People who wish to comment, may do so at the above scheduled public hearing. A copy of the Sewickley Borough Zoning Code is available for public use at the Sewickley Public Library or at the Borough Manager's office. The Building Permit application is available for review at the Office of Building Inspections.

Michael M. Lyons
Zoning Hearing Board
Borough of Sewickley

(306 4-13, 4-20-05, 2T)

LEGAL NOTICE
BOROUGH OF SEWICKLEY
ORDINANCE NOTICE

THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF SEWICKLEY WILL CONSIDER ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 6, SECTION 410 OF THE SEWICKLEY BOROUGH CODE OF ORDINANCES, PERTAINING TO DISPLAYING, USING OR DISCHARGING OF WEAPONS AND FIREARMS. AT A PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 601 THORN STREET, SEWICKLEY, PENNSYLVANIA, SEWICKLEY BOROUGH, ON APRIL 18, 2005, AT 7:30 P.M.

The title and summary of the proposed ordinance are as follows:

TITLE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF SEWICKLEY, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING CHAPTER 6, SECTION 410 OF THE SEWICKLEY BOROUGH CODE OF ORDINANCES, PERTAINING TO DISPLAYING, USING OR DISCHARGING OF WEAPONS AND FIREARMS.

SUMMARY

The proposed ordinance will establish additional requirements for the displaying, use and discharging of weapons, firearms, etc. A copy of the proposed ordinance may be examined in the office of the Borough Secretary, during normal business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Kevin M. Flannery
Borough Manager/Secretary

(313 4-13-05, 1T)

BOROUGH OF SEWICKLEY HILLS
PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Sewickley Hills Planning Commission will meet on Monday, April 18th at 7:30 p.m. at the Blackburn United Methodist Church on Blackburn Road, Sewickley Heights.

Further notice, Sewickley Hills General Borough Meeting will be held on Monday, May 2nd at 7:30 p.m. at the same location.

Primary Election location: Sewickley Hills Primary Election May 17th will be held at the new borough building located at 349 Magee Road, Sewickley Hills, PA 15143. For further information contact the Borough Office M-F 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. 412-364-8911 or e-mail sewickleyhillsborough@comcast.net

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Diane Thomas
Borough Secretary

(310 4-13-05, 1T)

OSBORNE PLANNING
COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

The Osborne Borough Planning Commission will meet on Monday, April 18, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. in the Osborne Elementary School, 1414 Beaver Road, Osborne, Pennsylvania. The purpose of this meeting is to review the plans submitted by the Quaker Valley School District for renovations and additions to the Osborne Elementary School. The public is invited to attend. Plans are available for review at the Borough Office in the Sewickley Municipal Building, 601 Thorn Street during normal business hours.

Maleet Gordon, Borough Secretary

(274 4-6, 4-13-05, 2T)

Public Notice

North Fayette Township

Please be advised beginning in May 2005, the monthly North Fayette Township Planning Commission meeting will be held the 3rd Tuesday of the month for the remainder of the calendar year. The meetings will take place in the meeting room of the Township Building, 400 North Branch Road, Oakdale, PA 15071.

Brian D. Temple
Planning Commission Secretary

(295 4-13-05, 1T)

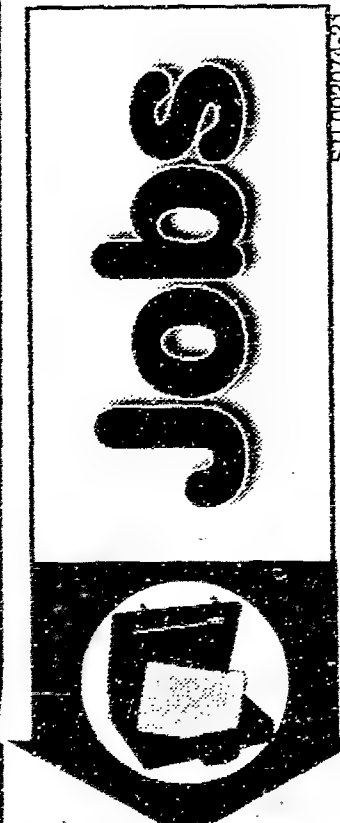
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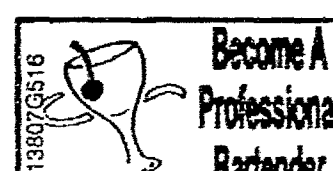
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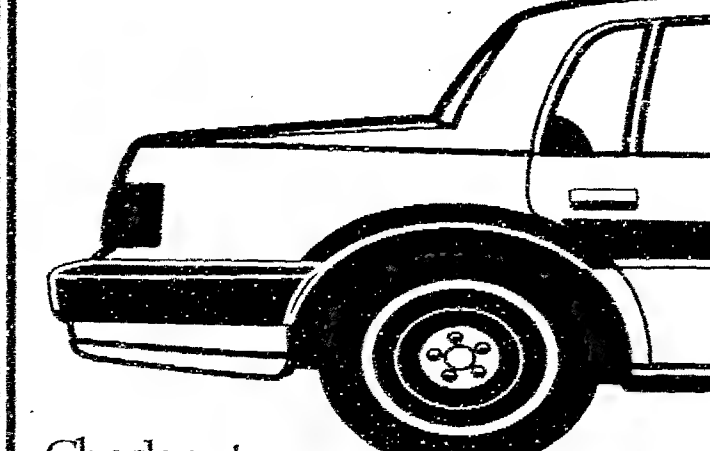
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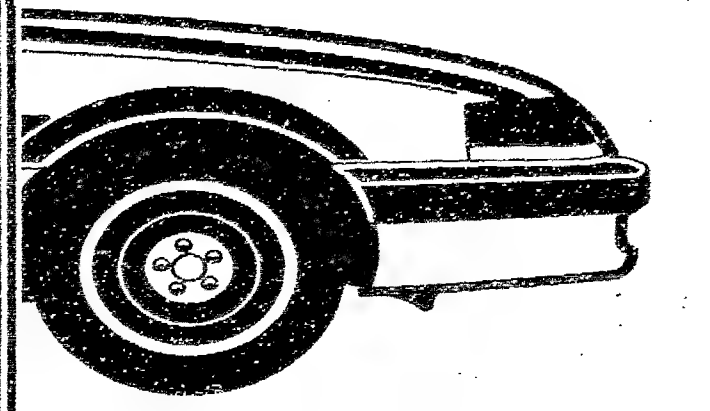
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• Price: Educate yourself on what your insurance policy covers. Consumers have a right to choose who does the job. Don't sacrifice quality and safety for cost and convenience.

• Product: Ask if the shop uses high-quality glass from an original equipment manufacturer that will fit the vehicle correctly without re-work or adhesive compensation.

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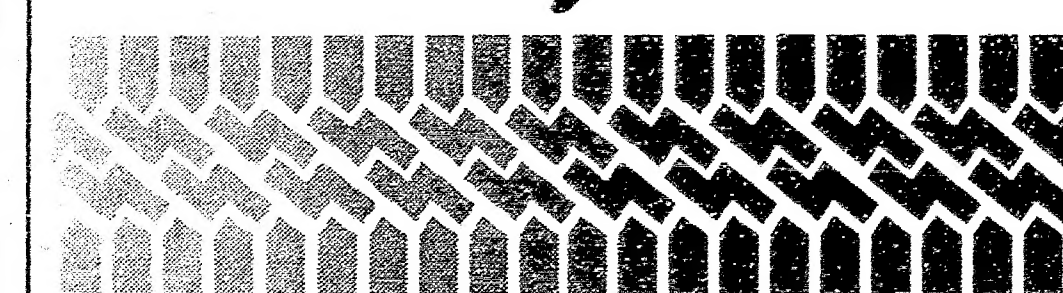
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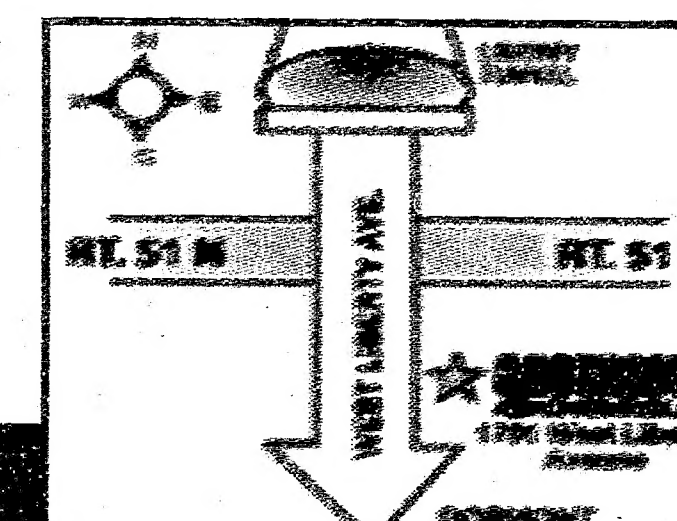
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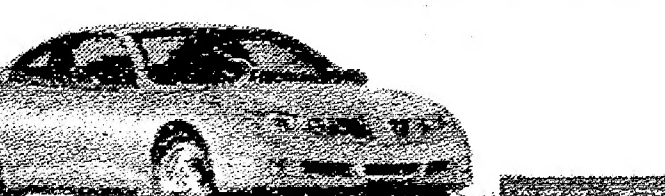
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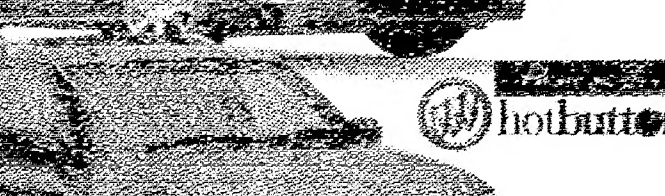
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